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Dec. 12, Ottawa, British steamer, 814. Eyro, Shanghai, Dec. 9, Silk and Treasure. —P. & O. Co. Dec. 12, Dart, American schooner, 80, Stuart, Macao, December 11.-AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Departures.

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Dec.	12, Sir J. Jeejeebhoy, for Whampon.
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New Advertisements. FOR AMOY & MANILA.

The steamer "FUNG SHUEY" will be despatched for the above ports at 9 A.M., To-morrow, Sunday, the 13th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 12, 1868. del4

PUBLIC AUCTION. HOUSEHOLD & OFFICE FURNI TURE, SCIENTIFIC EXPERI-

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to sell by Public Auc-

MENTING INSTRUMENTS,

WEDNESDAY.

the 16th inst., at Noon, at the premises of Messrs Blun Brothers & Co., Hollywood Road, The whole of the Office and House hold FURNITURE, belonging to that

Firm, comprising: Household Furniture.—Dining Room Tables, Chairs, Plated Ware, Clocks, Bronzes, Fenders and Fire Irons, Glassware, Cutlery, handsome Mirrors, Couches. Dinner Services, Curtains, Drawing Room Chairs and Tables, side Tables, Lamps, Teapoys, Carpeting, Rugs, Japanese Ware, Crystal Chandelier, Marble-top Tables, Engravings, Iron Bedsteads, Spring Mattress, Dressing Tables, Washstands and services, Wardrobes,

Marble-top Toilet Glasses, etc., etc. Office Furniture (to be sold at 2.30 o'clock).--Perry's Fireproof Safes and Stands, Desks and Pigeon Holes, Inkstands, an 8-day Clock, Tables, Chairs, Counter, etc., etc.

And one complete set of Scientific Experimenting Instruments, with subjects and Books of Instructions.

TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, December 12, 1868. del6

PUBLIC AUCTION.

OWRA & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the "Eldorado Hotel,"

MONDAY, 14th Dec., 1868, at Noon, (under distraint for rent and also under power of

sale, contained in a Mortgage Deed),-The Household FURNITURE, Stock-in-Trade, etc., etc., in Lots to suit Purchasers. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, December 12, 1868. del

PUBLIC AUCTION. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by

Public Auction, on MONDAY.

the 14th December, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., on board the Hawaiian schooner METAL of the same.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1 7. Hongkong, December 12, 1868. de14

Ex "Whitehall," and Mail.
(HOCOLATE MENIER, in Plain and Handsome boxes. Bohemian Vases, fancy Toilet Sets, and a great variety of New Goods, suitable for Christmas Presents. Bonbons, Motto Nuts, Cakes, Mincemeat, fancy Dessert Fruits, Confectionery, Toys, &c.

Christy's New Shape Felt Hats, Neckties, and Scarves, in great variety; Fancy Coatings, &c., &c. R. W. BAKER & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1868.

New Advertisements.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co., beg to call attention to their new GOODS for the Season, received per recent arrivals.

For Christmas Tables.

Mince Meat, Muscatels, Figs. Raisins, Crystallised Fruits. Currents, Plum Puddings. Rich Cakes, Dessert Biscuits. Orange, Lemon and Citron Peel. Fricassées de Grenouilles. Pork Cutlets, Truffled Sausages Whitebait, Venison, Salmon, Truffles, Vanila, Bonbons, Prunes, Dessert Fruits. Rose Water Crackers. Cheddar, Albert and Stilton Cheese.

A Boar's Head. Krug's Champagne. Glenlivat Whiskey. Ports, Sherries, Bass. Liqueurs in great variety. Oilman's Stores of first rate quality. &c.,

For the Children,

A splendid assortment of Toys. Christmas Tree Ornaments. Games and Books of Games. Illustrated Gift Books. Rocking Horses-Dragées. A Child's Swing.

For Christmas and New Year's Gifts.

Parian Statuettes. Perfume Cases. Dressing Cases. Writing Cases. Flower Vascs. Richly-bound and Illustrated Books. Stereoscopes, Slides and Boxes. Fancy boxes of Bonbous. Photographic Albuma. Cigar Magazines and Cases. Pipes and Cigar Tubes.

In General New Stock Sporting Gear of all kinds

Shooting Coats and Boots: Racing and other Saddlery and Mantelpieces, Grates, Feuders and Irous.

Overland Trunks, Railway Valises. Croquet Sets, Athletic Gear. Perfumery and Brushes. Wall-papers in large variety. Sheet Lead, Stem-plates. Electro-Plate in good selection. A large Invoice of Standard Works. Novels, Books on Athletics, &c. Fashionable Collars, Ties & Scarves. Carpets, Rugs, and Curtains, Sticks and Umbrellas.

Tweeds, Coatings and Flannels

Many other seasonable GOODS. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

BELLEVUE HOUSE. PRIVATE BOARD AND LODGING ESTABLISHMENT. Hollywood Road, No. 6, next to the HOTEL D'EUROPE, lately Mrs VINTON'S. CHARLES F. SEABURG. Hongkong, December 8, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

HAIR DRESSING SALOON. PEN from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M.; Sundays, U 8 to 12 A.M., for any Gentlemen who may feel the necessity of having any tonsorial operation performed.

W. P. MOORE. Hongkong, December 8, 1868. jan8

NOTICE. INHE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at and Sale), on

luw rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice. Also Nater, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISUUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR of best Brands constantly on

hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or Harbour, CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence The Vessel, &c., with all faults or Cork Respirators—to be had at the of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at chasers' risk upon fall of the hammer, Mesers MauEwen & Co.'s will receive prompt attention.

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

Entertainments.

二十月二十年八十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, SATURDAY, 12TH DECEMBER, 1868.

3rd REGIMENT THEATRICALS BAND AMATEUR SOCIETY.

DY the kind permission of Lieut.-Colonel G. J. Burne. The Members of the above will perform GARRISON THEATRE,

The 12th December, 1868. The Grand Comic Operatic Extravaganza Messrs A. HALLIDAY and F. LAWRANCE. "KENILWORTH,"

This Evening,

YE QUEEN, YE EARLE, AND YE MAYDENNE Queen Elizabeth, Mr E. MALONE. Earle of Leicester,...Mr G. INGMAN. Amy Robsart, Miss Lottle Magill. Walter Raleigh, Mr F. W. BARTLETT. Tresillian, Mr F. H. BARNARD. Duke of Sussex,.....Mr W. Snow. Janet, By a Girl of the Period! Michael Lambourne, Mr W. BEDFORD. Tony Foster, alias | Mr M. CARMODY.

Giles Gosling, Mr T. HARDING. To conclude with the laughable Farce in John Maddison Morton, Esq.,

Fire the Faggot,

MY PRECIOUS BETSEY. Orchestra by the remainder of the Band

PRICES OF ADMISSION. Reserved Seats,.....\$2.00. Front Seats, 1.00. Back Seats,..... 0.20. Tickets to be had from the Manager at Murray Barracks and at the Door of the Theatre on the Night of Performance.

Doors open at half-past 8; Performance to commence at 9 precisely. Manager, Corp. EDWARD WALSH VIVAT REGINA. SAIL-MAKING.

L'AWCETT & Co., having secured the services of an experienced Sail-Maker, are prepared to MAKE of Refair SAILS at very reasonable rates. Hougkong, December 10, 1868.

WANTED ON BOTTOMRY. A BOUT Two Thousand Dollars for Repairs of the Hawaiian schooner "Nunanu," HAGER, Master, on a voyage from Hongkong to Yekohama. Application to be made until Monday next, the 14th inst., at Noon, to the Undersigned.

MELCHERS & Co. Agents sch. " Nuuanu." Hongkong, December 10, 1868. de14

CHINA TRADER'S INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. PHE General Dividend of Dollars Three Hundred and Fifty (\$350) per share will be payable at the office of the Comwhere Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants, on and after the 15th

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Road from the old Wong-Nei-Choong Bridge, running in a North Easterly direction towards Matheson Street, is closed to the Public until further Notice.

V. WILSON, Surveyor General.

Surveyor General's Office. Victoria, Hongkong, Dec. 9, 1868. 16de



A kong in a short time, those desiring his services will address him at once. . J. S. BURLINGHAM, Surgeon Dentist. Hotel d'Europe, December 3, 1868.

Auctions

IN THE VICE ADMIRALTY COURT OF HONGKONG. In re

THE PORTUGUESE SHIP "NINA. 11HE Undersigned have received instructions from M. S. Tonnochy, to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD | Esq., Marshal of the Vice Admiralty The Old YELLOW SHEATHING in various forms, to any part of the Co- Court of Hongkong, to sell by Public Auction (under a decree of Appraisement | Rose Water Fountains.

WEDNESDAY, 16th December, 1868, at Noon,

On board The Portuguese ship "NINA," about 1,100 Tons-her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture, as she now lies in the

TERMS or SALE.—Cash before delivery | Silicated Carbon Filters. in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Felt Chest Protectors and errors in description whatsoever at Pur-BOWRA & Co.,

Auctioneers. Hongkong, December 9 1868, 16de

Auctions.

" DRAKE" will be TUESDAY

disposed of by private agreement) The following are the articles to be sol with each vessel, viz:-

With the "Hardy." Hull complete. No masts or yards. 2 Anchors.

1121 Fathoms Cable. Davits for 2 Boats.

1 Dingy, 14 feet. 4 Oars and Awning. 2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete). FIELD, in fair working order. A set of

boilers, considerably worn but repairable. Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, Cross Head. Eccentric Ring, Piston and Rod. 1 Propeller (brass), Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ... 1 ,, Bilge do. do. Guide blocks,

Masta complete. Yards Rigging do. 1 Anchor. 100 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete. Davits for 3 boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet.

2 Downton's Pumps, A 40 Horse Power high pressure engine by Messrs. Penn and Sons, in good work-The boilers of this vessel have been taken

Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No. Eccentric Ring (brass),... 1 do. Rod. Plumber block brasses, 1 pair, Propeller (brass), in No. incoming completes Feet pump rod. Bilge do. do. Guide block. Naval Storekeeper.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

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Chocolate a Menier. Fancy Boxes Chocolate and Bonbous. Jujubes of every description. New Perfumery. Perfume Trregateurs.

CHERRY Tooth Paste. / Magnetic Machines.

D and Pills to be had at the VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, December 10, 1868.

H. B. M. Gunboats "HARDY" and QOLD BY AUCTION. at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on

the 9th February, 1862, (unless previously The Hardy is of 233 tons and 60 h. power.

A pair of 30 Horse Power high pressure engines by Mesers. Maudslay, Sons and

With the "Drake,"

2 Oars. All standing Sails, but square foresail.

Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

Chairman. -- George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairmon-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq.

A. Joost, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON, JULIUS MENKE, ESQ. RICHARD ROWETT, ESQ.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits .--

Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Drafts, granted on London, and the

No, I, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, June 17, 1868

NEW CHRISTMAS GOODS JUST DOSE Water Crackers.

For BREAKFAST & EATING. Pears Soaps in great variety.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY. TE Laville's Celebrated Gout Mixture

STEAM FOR

Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

AL80 Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta. HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship Awnings complete, with Iron Stan- "MALTA," Captain Hyde, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on TUESDAY, 15th December, at 9 A.M.

CARGO will be receive on board until

Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 14th December. For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Koute is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrect ness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, December 7, 1868.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK, TEAMERS of The The Tik be despatchdepan a follows the greater portion of her depants will leave Shanghai on or Whampoa, and have early despatch for the

about same dates, connecting at Yokohama above port. with above-named steamers. Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France. ooth via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall

Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Certral and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the

various lines to Europe. Tickets issued

for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.

Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery

in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad ditional, at shipper's option.

For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

Shipping.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA (Direct.) HEP. & O. S. N. Co. steam-ship "SULTAN," will leave for the above place at Noon on FRIDAY, the 18th inst. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.

Hongkong, December 10, 1868. PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. The Steam-ship

Captain George E. LANE, will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 16th instant; at 8 P.M. precisely. No Freight received after Noon of the 15th instant. Passengers are requested to be on board

Hougkong, December 9, 1868.

GEO. F. BOWMAN,

at 2 P.M., day of sailing.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW The Steam-ship. "DOUGLAS,"
Captain Toppin, will have immediate despatch for the

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPKAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1868,

FOR YOKOHAMA DIRECT.

日九卅月十年辰戊治园

Captain AITKEN, will meet with quick dispatch for

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, November 12, 1868: The A 1 North German barque "JOHANNA MATHILDE,"
Captain Louse, will have quick "JOHANNA MATHILDE,"

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Shipping.

The A 1 Russian steam-

"SHAFTESBURY,"

despatch as above. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, December 11, 1868. FOR SINGAPORE. The American Barque

"DESPATCH,"
Captain Jones, will have quick For Freight, apply to

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT.) The British Barque Captain KINDRED, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 British ship of 532 Tons Register. For Particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, December 4, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British ship "LOUISA," Capt. Lansbown, will load here and at Whampoa, and have quick despatch for the above port. · For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, November 12, 1868. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American barque "STERLING" (BUILT IN 1866.) of 468 Tons Register, HARDING,

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 20, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the " Marie." The British ship Captain Rice, will have early For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, December 2, 1868.

FOR MADRAS DIRECT. "NAWORTH CASTLE," Capt. Linklater, will be despatched on or about the 12th

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, November 28, 1868. FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 British ship
"ROSLIN CASTLE,"

JAS. ALEXANDER, Master, of
644 tous Register. For particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co

For Freight apply to

Hongkong, November 21, 1868. FOR NAGASAKI. The A 1 British schooner "CITY OF NIAGARA," MITCHELL, Master, having engaged the larger portion of her Cargo, will meet with quick despatch, For Freight, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, November 28, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. G. barque Captain KLENOKE, will have prompt despatch for the above

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1868. FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The first class French ship "LA PLATA,"
JUBIN, Master, of 444 tons register. For particulars, apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER,

Hongkong, November 2, 1868. Natices to Consignees.

P. M. S. S. Co. Str. "JAPAN," FROM SAN FRANCISCO. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the versel will be landed and stored at Consignees. risk and expense.

GEO. F. BOWMAN,

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Post-Office Notifications.

MAILS BY THE "MALTA."-The Contract Packet "MALTA" will

be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the 15th Instant, at 9 A.M., and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordiuary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M on the 14th Instant. Letters, &c., may be posted in the night box from 8 P.M. on the 14th Instant, until 7 A.M. on the following morning.

All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. on the 15th instant, will be chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with Late Fee of 18 cents.

Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers, Instant

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Marseilles or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 8.30 to 8.50 a.m. on payment of a late f of 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building. All correspondence for places to which pre-

payment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps. the United Kingdom will be sent on, necessary. charged with a time of One Shilling in ddition to the postage.

Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 15th stant will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is pre-

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers as early as possible, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, if posted after 8 P.M. on the 14th Instant, will be returned until after the mail is closed.

Postage Stamps should be placed on th upper right hand corner of the corres pondeuce, except in cases where the may be used in payment of "Late Fees, when the Stamp or Stamps represent ing the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the Coins prescribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and the Proclamation of the 22nd January, 1864, and no other Coins, but those therein specified will either be received or given in change as fractional parts

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes. Money Orders on any of the Money Order

Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P M. on the 14th inst. F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General

General Post-Office, Hongkong, December 7, 1868.

1. -On the 1st October next, and thence forward Money Orders will be issued at this (Office and at the Agencies thereof Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money ToOrder Offices in the United Kingdom on to Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts no exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged wi Commission according to the following Scale, viz. :— For sums not exceeding £2,.....12

Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,....24 £ 7,...42 £10,....48 2.-No. Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny.

.: 3.-Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation.

4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom; shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama.

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, usual designation of such firm, such "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs, Rivington," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7. When an Order is presented through Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and presented by some Person known to be in the employ of such Bank. 8.—The signature of the Payee of a Mo

ney Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign th receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

desire to receive payment in the Country in Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers, which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was ori | yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, glighly drawn, the transfer will be granted, and are ready to contract for the construct Reduction in the Rates of Premium. provided the Order be inclosed to the tion of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any TINTIL further notice the following An-Postmaster of the Office in which it was size. drawn. In such case a new Order will be which will be deducted from the amount of reduced rates. the new Order.

10 -lu the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payer, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable

tion, orders will be given to stop payment

Post-Office Notifications.

of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an The latest time for posting Letters at this additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Books, or Patterns 7 A. M. on the 15th Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

> 13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14.—Payment of an Order must be of tained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, paymen must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn,-for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order

was drawn think proper to allow it. 16.—After one paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss,

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders. By Command,

> F. W. MITCHELI Postmaster General General Post Office.

Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

Docks.

THAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st March next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above By order of the Board of Directors,

GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary.

Hongkong, December 1, 1868. marl FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED DOCK.

THE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, or on Goods Stored therein. neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out.

For further particulars as to the price of coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Mesers Boyd & Co., Shanghai; or to the Undersigned.

In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application

> JOHN C. SKEY, Manager.

Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully call the at-L tention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DUCKING and REPAIRING of Ves-

At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour,-a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and

Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery 9 .- Should the Payee of a Money Order works, and everything necessary for the The Company have also opened a Ship.

At Whampon the Company have four Insurance, viz :issued, the Commission chargeable upon Docks, in which they will take Ships at Detached and Semi-detached The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN" can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or

berth them, at reasonable rates.

For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

A. D. MITCHELL, Manager of Works. 11: On the receipt of a similar applica- Company's Office, H.kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868,

Insurances

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON.

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -- £1,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are preto accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

> ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

> > ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. Ivon Murray, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.

For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINI INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine

Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

> LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -TWO MILLIONS STERLING HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Haryour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-

ceived, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

Rates of Premiums, forms of pronosals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANC

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ITROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding } d of the An. al Rate. one month...

Above 1 month and not exoccding three

months, Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding mouths,....

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsul and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-

ANCE at current rates. DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings,

or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE, TAROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances. viz:---Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate

Above 1 mouth and not exceeding 3,... do. bove 3 months and not exceeding 6,... # Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

nual Rates will be charged for Fire Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their 🤰 per cent

Other Owelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Godowns, Officas, Shops, &c. and their Contents. 1 per cent. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance

Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

Company

insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, per cent

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their per cent

Jodowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents, per cen per annum GILMAN & Co.

Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866. NOTICE

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE | principal ports throughout the World. INSURANCE COMPANY. FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period

Above 1 month, and not exceeding $3 > \frac{1}{2}$ months, Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months.

Above 6 months, the full Annual rate. HLMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927.

ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263. THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared

to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co

Hongkong, June 21, 1864. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER

AND LONDON. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkoug, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.THE following Rates will be charged in

NOTICE.

future for short period Insurances, all Profit participating Policies of Two V1Z :--Not exceeding 1 month, \(\frac{1}{2}\) per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, \(\frac{1}{2}\) do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

LONDON: ASSURANCE CORPORATION. LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned are authorised to issue

Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5,000. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, December 26, 1867. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. THE following rates will in future be L charged for Short Period Insurances:

One month, per cent. Three months, Six months. . HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:--Not exceeding } 1 of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month

and not exceeding three (months, Above 3 m'ths and not exmonths.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. | Not exceeding One } } per cent. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE CAPITAL,-Two MILLION STERLING. per cent. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are propared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868,

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ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE, ITROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:---Not exceeding)

d of the Annual Rate. one month,. Above 1 month and not exceeding three

months, Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE

LIMITED. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the

INSURANCE COMPANY,

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

exceeding 3 months, \(\frac{1}{2}\) do.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPAN THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding I month, & of the annual rate. Above ${f 1}$ month and not

Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... do. \dots the full annual rate. Above 6 months.. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Hongkong, August 9 1867. NOTICE. ASSURANCE COMPANY

OLTPHANT & Co.

ESTABLISHED 1821. CAPITAL £2,000,000,

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, July 17, 1868. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.) perCent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims

are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement

Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of licy-holder. £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

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N.B. Intermediate ages charged proportionably, For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA. SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Above One Month and not exceeding } } per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months ? and not exceeding } # per cent. Six Months. The full Annual Rate

of 1 per cent.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Above Six Months,

Hougkong, April 7, 1868,

Insurances.

LIFE ASSURANCE. 17HE Undersigned have received Author rity by a recent Mail to issue Lips Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE: HE Undersigned having received extend. ed limits from THE ROYAL INSUR. ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong,

\$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th Oc. tober last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-FECTS, therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. 1 er Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-BURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :-Detached and semi-detached

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. per cent,)ther $Dwelling ext{-}Houses$ (similarly situated) and their Contents, # per cent.

their Contents. 12 per cent Other Risks as per special arrangement, ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkoug, November 9, 1866.

First Class China House and

1 cent. has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September, Policy holders will please send in parti-

ANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

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culars of their contribution to that date to

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. PHE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEARISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL

THE Undersigned having been appointed A Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to

the amount o premium paid by each po-RUSSELL & Co.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insut-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current F.USSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN J SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed A Agents in Macao for the above named

Company are prepared to grant Policies

covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

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Macao, August 4, 1866. DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY OF BATAVIA.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. DROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perice Insurances:-Not exceeding one month, f of the Annual rate. Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, ½ Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 menths,

TURNER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

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MILLAR, ANDREW COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER. No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane.

Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

FAWCETT & Co., WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS, W GENERAL STORE KEEPERS, AND COMMISSION AGENTS, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

NOTICE. N and after the 1st November, 1868, BOARD and LODGING-BOARD or LODGING-or SPARE BED ROOMS, Furnished or Unfurnished, can be had at the House formerly known as the ORIENTAL HOTEL. Board and Lodging,... \$60 per Month. For further particulars, apply to FAWCETT & Co. Hongkong, October 30, 1868.

PORT OF AMOY.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. HE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the Harbour of Amoy have been painted according to the Rule in use by the British Admiralty and Trinity Board, viz : to mark the starboard side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys only. The Port side of Channels entering by Black or Red tf. Buoys Chequered or vertically striped with lisman whereby they may insure a restora-White, and Middle Grounds by horizontally | tion to robust health.

KELLET SPIT.—North end formerly narked by a striped Buoy, is now marked direction, and it may be passed close to on the Port Hand when entering the Harbour. The shoalest patch or pinnacle of the Coker Rocks, has a floating Beacon on it until

NEW ROCK-in North part of Harbour, and Brown's Rock are marked by horizontally striped Buoys. In case any or these Buoys are lost or moved, the position will as soon as possible be marked by a Flag boat or floating

JAMES JONES Clerk in Charge.

Office of Marine Customs. Amoy, August 13, 1868.

NOTICE. HE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN. 1 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to MIHE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's ply on the River Min and adjacent waters Road, lately in the occupation of the early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Un-

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

PORTRAITS.

R. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

BROWN, JONES & Co., UNDERTAKERS. MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES ERECTED, in the Best Style. LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the Shortest Notice.

Apply at Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

"STAG HOTEL."

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD DERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find it at the above Establishment. EDMUND R. HOLMES.

Proprietor. Breakfast, . . . 9 A.M. Dinner.

Refreshments provided at all hours. Regular Daily Mess at \$30 per month. The undermentioned Papers are filed:-China Mail, Daily Press, China Express, Illustrated London News, Punch, Engineer, Scientific American, China Punch.

ICED DRINKS. Hongkong, May 4, 1868.

NEWS AGENCY. I B. MORRIS, News Agent Hongkong, being now prepared to receive orders for any Newspaper or Magazine published in England or The United states of America, at prices as low as those charged by any home agency, begs to solicit the support of the reading Public, and assure those who may faver him with their orders that the same shall be executed faithfully and

papers. For subscription lists, with prices,

Apply to J. B. MORRIS, Care of Messrs Bowra & Co, Hongkong. Hongkong, March 4, 1868

intimations. SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE. ITOLDERS of Certificates of Shares in the Shanghai Steam Navigation Company are requested to send them to the Agents of the Company, to be replaced by Receipts representing the amount of the old shares and the stock dividend added. pending the issue of New Share Certificates. ROWLEY MILLER, Secretary & Auditor.

Shanghai, 24th February, 1868. FOLMOSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG HAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of best quality, and is prepared to sup-THOUSE, SHIP. & STEAM-BOAT ply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick PLUMBER, despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the same under Contract, at Hongkong and any Treaty Port in China. The Depot drawing supplies from the

> rior article, free of the Surface Coal that has hitherto prejudiced consumers. MILISCH & Co., Agents. Kilung, April 2, 1868.

best Mines only, intends to provide a supe

NOTICE,) ENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with punctuality and despatch. Distraint WARRANTS for Rent IS-SUED and EXECUTED

Security, if required. THOS. W. BARRINGTON, 53, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. HIS Medicine is universally admitted 1 to be the most efficacious remedy known to the world. No preparation is so suitable to the climates of India and China as this fine and invigorating medicine. It is particularly adapted to the constitution of European ladies, as it is never failing in its effects in all diseases peculiar to females, while those who are attenuated by the debilitating effects of the above climates will and in this wonderful remedy a kind of ta-

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT. The science of Medicine has never before produced any remedy that can be compared to this wonderful Ointment, as it cares OOKER RUCKS-formerly marked by after all other means have failed, all a Red Buoy are now marked by a verti- wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most cally striped Red and White Bucy. This inveterate skin diseases peculiar to the cli-Buoy has been placed about 20 fathoms to mates of India and China. It is the true the E. S. E. of the shoalest patch, in order friend of the Soldier and Civilian, as corto guard Vessels against Ledges of Rock, tain old sores can be removed by it that with 15 feet water, found to exist in that | cannot be conquered by any other treat-Rongkong, February 1, 1867.

BOBSON & Co., DUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING AND GENERAL BROKERS COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

KOBE, HIGGO, JAPAN. C. L. VOLKMANN, Private Boarding Establishment.

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, HONGKONG. Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

TRUSTEES-The Colonial Secretary, The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq., GEO. HEARD, Esq.,

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lst Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00 (2 Beds in ea. **> ,, ,, \$2.60** Room),.... 3rd ,, (Public Wards), These Charges are inclusive of all Medicines and Attendances, but exclusive of Wines or Articles not in the recognised Dietary Table.

All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Per son or Persons resident in the Colony Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended: 1st Class..... \$60.

2nd\$40. W. PATERSON Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

PATERSON & HANDLEY, House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters, 16, Queen's Eoad West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West. Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

THE Members of the late Hongkong Vo-Innteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed. H. COHEN. Hongkong, March 13, 1867.

Published weekly.—Subscription (Exclusive of postage) Tls. 12 per annum; payable Pastes, shipped in bulk, to any quarter of

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PROVINCIAL COURTS OF CHINA AND JAPAN. HE Gazette isa General Weekly Newspa- Calcutta. per, containing Officially Revised Reports The latest copies of the best English and American Newspapers received Courts, Police Cases, and Proceedings in by every mail steamer, also the latest copies of the Shanghai and Japan Queries on Legal points; Reports of Public Meetings; News of the Week, Commercial Summary, &c., &c. Advertisements will be charged Tls. 1

per 10 lines, for the first insertion, and 50 ets. per 10 lines, for each subsequent inser-Shanghai, January, 1867.

For Sale. THE HARBOUR YACHT RACE TLOYD & Co. have on sale "Instanta-P NEOUS PHOTOGRAPHS" of the Races yesterday in five different positions,

62. Queen's Road.

Hongkong, November 25, 1868. OW Publishing, a series of Photographic Views of Hongkong, Canton and Ma-cao, Characteristic Groups etc., etc., by the Undersigned; about 150 Photographs to select from

In sets of 50 mounted,.....price, \$30. 21 2 22 22 50 unmounted, ... ,, · ,, 🛊 ,, ,, FLOYD & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

FOR SALE. HE Well-known Racing Pony ALARM. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex Zephyr, from Sydney. 500 Tons best screened Steam COAL. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1868.

FOR SALE. HEET ZINC. Sheet LEAD. Galvanized RODS. Boiler PLATES. Brown Sheathing FELT. Yellow Metal Stern PLATES. BOLTS and NUTS. RAY & Co.

Hongkong, December 4, 1868. FOR SALE. I \UFF & GORDON'S PALE SHERRY. \bigcup in 1 doz. cases. Bass ALE in qts. Bass ALE in pints. Guinness STOUT, in qts. do., in pints.

Hennessy BRANDY. Kinahan L. L. WHISKY RAY & Co. Hongkong, December 4, 1868. SELLING OFF AT COST PRICES. PHE Undersigned, being about to close

their business at this port, are now offering the whole of their i Immense Stock" at COST PRICE. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, December 3, 1868.

JUST RECEIVED SMALL Invoice of Spanish OLIVES 1 \$5 per dozen bottles. FRENCH BUTTER, in 6 lb. tins, each G. DUBOST & Co.

H ongkong, November 28, 1868. TO LEND ON MORTGAGE. \$22.000 on first class Property, not occupied by Chi-

Address "W. T. M." at the Office of this Hongkong, November 5, 1868.

FOR SALE. AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE

THE following SETS of the "CHINA PUNCH" can be obtained, stitched in raper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents per copy viz :-- per set \$5.75. \$5.50.

\$5.25, | 5 ,, complete from 10. Also a few separate copies of Nos.1, 2, 3, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24.

PAYNE AND COMPANY, BELATEE BUNGALOW,

FOR THE SALE OF THEIR RENOWNED Chutnies and Indian Condiments Namely,

"Bengal Club Chutney .. Lucknow Chutney Per hhd. £25. Cashmere Chutney Per doz. qts. 300 ,, Pindaree Chutney Per doz. pts. 21s " Col. Skinner's C'nev ", Major Gray's C'ney ,, Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel, Per hhd. Per doz. qts. 30s Per doz, pts. 20s Per lb.

" Mulligatawnee Paste , Curry Paste .. Curry Powder ,, Tamarind Fish, 100 slices in barrel. .. Tamarind Fish Rose 👌 gal. square. , Mangoe Fish Roses " Smoked Mangoe Fish, 100 in tins. Per bottle 2s ,, Chili Vinegar " Cayenne Pepper Per bottle.

JAMS AND JELLIES.

2-lb. tins 1-lb. tins. Guava Jelly Tippares Jam Preserved Limes .. P'erved Mangoes ,, Pine Apple Jelly Pres've Pickled Limes . Bael Preserve Bengal Humps · 1s 6d per 1b. N. B.-Chutnies, Curry Powders, and

the Globe. Payne and Co., Have always on hand a large Stock of superior MANILA CIGARS, of all sizes. Terms: Remittance, or reference in Cal cutta, to accompany order. For orders over £25, 20 per cent discount will be allowed, all Goods free on board in

FOR SALE, DRINTING PAPER. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1868.

FOR SALE. TRAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins. Apply, to HOWARD HODGES. Hongkong, August 27, 1868.

For Sale FOR SALE. VELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and Nails. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, September 15, 1868.

FOR SALE.

MANILA HARD WOOD.

MOLAVES, BANABAS, ARANGAS, And other descriptions. Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1868.

COCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE, in 2 Volumes, by Revd. Justus Doolittle, is For Sale at Messrs Lane, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai Price, \$5.00. Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69

FOR SALE. 1 HE New Superior Manila CIGAR in cases of 200 each. BIELFELD AND ZACHARLAE. Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

JUST RECEIVED.

Ex. "Great Republic," NDERSON'S Solace TOBACCO. Ex " Mail Steamer." Amber MOUTHPLECES. Cherrywood STEMS. CIGARHOLDERS. Ex. "Salve."

BEELFELD & ZACHARLÆ. Hongkong, August 4, 1868. DE SOUZA'S DIARY FOR 1869 IA, ILL be published on 15th November

Superior Cavite CIGARS,

This DIARY has a large circulation in Hongkong, and in all the Coast Ports, and also in Japan. Advertisements for the DIARY will be received until the 31st October, at the Office of the Undersigned, Hollywood Road Terms: \$10 per page, on the covers; for the inside, \$6 per page. Parts of the page

in proportion. DE SOUZA & Co. Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

FOR SALE. HE following WINES, &c., of superior quality in lots to suit purchasers :--Eugene Clicquot dry CHAMPAGNE in Pints and Quarts. Sillery Mousseux, CHAMPAGNE, Carte Noire. A. de Luze & Fils CLARETS, Pints and

Villanyi CLARET, Quarts. CHABLIS. BURGUNDY, Liebfrauenmilch. Josephdorfer Ausstich, CHOCK. Rudesheimer. Fleur de Moselle, Superior Old PORT in I dozen cases. Superior dry Pale SHERRY in 1 and 3 dozen cases.

Bass' ALE, Quarts and Pints. Barclay's STOUT, Quarts and Pints. Hennessy BRANDY in 1 dozen cases. A. de Luze & Fils Brandy in 1 dozen

Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

FOR SALE. THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messre SMITH KENNEDY & Co. For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867.

TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY ,, 3 PORT , 2 , , CLARET ,, 1 BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

FOR SALE. Just Received. 500 Barrels PORTLAND CEMENT.
Apply to FREDERIC DEGENAER 3. d'Aquilar Street. Hougkong, September 12, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex 8.8. "TIGRE." A. FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ \$7 per bag of 28 lb. G. DUBOST & Co.

Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

FOR SALE, AT THE CHINA SUGAR REFINERY, EAST POINT. CUGAR of the Finest Crystals, equal if not superior to the English Loaf, ranging from Nos. 1 a 6. Also GOLDEN SYRUP, double refined,

20s in quantities to suit purchasers. WAHEE & Co. CHINA SUGAR REFINERY, East Point, 5th August, 1868,

> STEAM COALS. For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board, L'NGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley. Davisson's West Hartley, Straker's West Hartley. WELSH-Blaengware Marthyr. Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1866,

FOR SALE. ROB. -S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 8, 1868.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, MUMM & Co.'s HOCK & MOSLELE, qts. and pts. Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT. CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY. WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSopp's ALE, draught and bottle. BARGLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT, Bridges & Sons' PORTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong November 20, 1867.

FOR SALE. 150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY. 100 ,, PORT. MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

For Sale. NEW BOOK. " I'HE Speculations of 'The Old Philosopher'

LAU-TSZE." Translated from the Chinese JOHN CHALMERS, A.M. Price \$1.50.

author : Price \$1.

or The London Mission House

Hongkong, October 17, 1868. FOR SALE DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com-MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

"The Origin of the Chinese" by the same

Apply at Messrs Liane, Crawford & Co.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868. FOR SALE, 7 ELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivians. JOHN BURD & Co

Hougkong, April 5, 1867. FOR SALE, DASS'S BEER. D Allsopp's BEER. Devenish & Co's CHAMPAGNE BEER Guinness's STOUT. Bridge's PORTER. Porter's Pale India STOUT. Hennessy's BRANDY.

Martell's French PATTIES and MUSTARD. Imperial PLUMS. OLLMAN'S STORES CIGARS. American TOBACCO,

CANVAS, PAINT OIL, RED LEAD J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer & General Commission

COMMERCIAL BANK BUILDING. Queen's Road. Hongkong, October 31, 1868. FOR SALE. I/I UNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and

M NAILS. Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Keel PLATES, 12lbs. and 13lb. with NAILS. Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

FOR SALE. I'HE Undersigned offer for Sale at very moderate prices a choice Assortment of fine flavored Rhenish WINES, as : Genuine JOHANNESBERGER CABINET, STEINBERGER CABINET. MARCOBRUNNER CABINET. SCHARLACHBERGER. LIEBFRAUEN MILCH.

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quarts and pints. Gaspar Testulat's UHAMPAGNE, in qts. and pints. Perrier Jouet's CHAMPAGNE. Jules Mumm Adolph Collins Bouzy MOUSSEUX.

Eugene CLAQUOT. Duc de Montebello CORDON, in quart. and pints. Sparkling HOCK. After Dinner CLARET, in pints. LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1868.

FOR SALE Ex "ESTAFETTE" and other Arrivals. PENUINE AVH GIN in red cases, 15 U squares. Genuine AVH GIN, in white bottles. Palm-tree Brand GIN, in 15 squares. Dutch CURACOA, in stone bottles. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, May 22, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex " MOBILE" and other late Arrivals. 100 BARRELS Hamburg Prime Mess 100 barrels Hamburg Prime Mess PORK. A well assorted Invoice of Hoth's Prime quality Russian ROPE, BOLTROPE, Seizing STUFF, HOUSELINE, MARLINE, LOGLINES, Signal HALYARDS, SPUN-

YARN, &c. At.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex "BELTED WILL," "CHUSAN," BASS'S ALE in hogsheads and kilderkins.
Barelay's STOUT in hogsheads. Bass's ALE in bottle, quarts and pints. Guinness's STOUT in bottle, quarts and

Hennessy's Pale Old BRANDY. Old Tom GIN. Dinner SHERRIES from \$6 upwards. Fine Old PORT. Ginger WINE, Ginger BRANDY and Orange BITTERS. HAMS, CHEESE and OILMAN'S

JUST RECEIVED.

At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

Hongkong, June 11, 1868.

EX "DUNMAIL," Etc. OALS suitable for Household purposes. TIME JUICE, in 5 Gallon Jars. Guinness's STOUT in pints and quarts. Draught BEER in hogsheads and kilderkins, White Trowsers DUCK.

BOWRA & Co.

FOR SALE, SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT A WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto. Fine Dry MADEIRA. Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC. Various Superior Hungarian WINES, WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1867.

FOR SALE. BEST Keeling COAL,
Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868,

New Advertisements.

- FOR SALE.

HE Copyright and Plant of the Shang-

1 hai Recorder, Daily Newspaper, and

Tenders to be received on or before the

TWO DRAWING-ROOM SELF-ACTING ORGANS.

100 chances at \$5 each. They are on view

on the premises, 58 and 60, Wellington

street, up to the date of drawing-24th

December, 1868, at 1 c'clock p.m., provid-

First prize, large Organ; second, small

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY.

LIMITED.

NOTICE.

The Company will not undertake to pay

for any Goods Supplied without such

C. L. NGDON DAVIES,

By order of the Board of Directors,

Bongkong, November 27, 1868.

will remain as follow :—

for sale at moderate prices.

Dinner, \$1.25.

the ensuing year.

HONGKONG HOTEL

1st of December. The Charges for Board

Board, \$45 a month.' Tiffin only, \$15 a

month | Dinners only, \$30 a month. One

Breakfast or one Tiffin, 80 cents. One

There is an excellent assortment of wines

The Charges for Lodging will be very

Occasional Visitors are charged \$4 a day

There is an ample supply of Bathrooms,

considerably reduced. Rooms are offered

to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40,

or their Rooms with or without board.

and Gas is laid on throughout the house.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY.

LIMITED.

NIOTICE is hereby given that a GENE

RAL MEETING of the SHARE-

HOLDERS of the HONGRONG HOTEL COM-

PANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Com-

pany's Hotel, Queen's Road, Hongkong

on TUESDAY, the 29th December, 1868,

at half-past Two P.M., to receive the Re-

port and Accounts and elect Directors for

By Order of the Board of Directors,

HONGKONG & CHINA

GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

comber (both days included), during which

period no Transfer of Shares can be regis-

Hongkong, November 20, 1868.

HIS morning, between Messrs SIEMSSEN

& Co.'s, along the Praya to the\Macao

Steamer and back through Queen's Road,

a Pocket BOOK, containing a \$25 and a 5

Dollar Note, as also a Charter-party of the

British barque "Marion." A Reward will

NOTICE.

be paid on returning the same to Messr

Hongkong, November 21, 1868.

I Stemesen & Co.

Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

C. LANGDON DAVIÉS

A. NEWTON,

F. I. HAZELAND,

Supreme Court House.

of the Articles of Association

At the conclusion of the above Meeting

Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

HIS HOTEL will be conducted under a

new arrangement commencing on the

F. DA CUNHA & Co.

ing the lottery be filled up.

Hongkong, December 7, 1868.

HE above are very fine Instruments,

and an Ornament to a Drawing-Room.

Shanghai, 5th December, 1868.

'HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Donnai," 7th January, 1868.

1 Case Paper. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868. 1 case Arms. out Ex "Imperatrice," 4th Dec. 1868. 1 case Paper. Giauma

C. BERTRAND Principal Agent. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

"WHITEHALL" FROM LONDON. HE above named vessel having arrived , in harbour, Consignees of Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, November 23, 1868. "ROSLIN CASTLE," FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

I named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-

sel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, November 20, 1868.

Notices of Firms

NOTICE. A.R.C. J. H. SCHRODER, is authorised to Va sign our Firm per procuration, from

SCHWANBECK & THIEL. Saigon, November 14, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pin, Mr William Nisbet Olmsted and Mr H. Seymour Geary are

authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

LIR. C. EMIL BADE has been admitted : Partner in our Firm here and at Shanghai from the 1st October, 1868. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1868.

HAVE this day authorised Mr C Landdon Davies to sign my name per procuration to all orders for goods supplied. to the Hongkong Hotel, and I alone am liable to pay for goods supplied upon such

I have further authorised Mr Davies to collect all debts due to me on Hotel account, for which his receipt will be a sufficient discharge.

LEE AFOONG. Hongkong, December 1, 1868.

TALE have this day established a Branc V. of our Firm at H1000 and OSACCA. WAUHTELS GROUS & Co. Nagasaki, September 20, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD JUSTER And GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON LAVIES.

Hongkong, July 1, 1868. NOTICE. PROM and after this date Mr George BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the

Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at th S. L. PHELPS.

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.

NOTICE. TAR RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. TATE have authorized Mr Chaus Budde to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January I, 1868.

For Sale.

W. B. DICK & Co.'s "L'EXTINGTEUR." /AME Undersigned, as Agents for the Pa-1 tentees, are prepared to take Orders for or sell the above at Original Prices, reduced at 4/2 per dollar, with an addition o 15 per cent, for freight and charges. Models can be seen at the premises o

5/6: \$1.52c. No. 5, £5 5/ \$29. h Mo. 6, 26 6/ \$35. 37.7/10 751,90c. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, December 8, 1868. . ja8 Gentlemen,

Ex "Mikado," and "Whitehall."

MISS ROSE H AS received a Choice Selection of French and English Fancy GOODS, suitable TOO BIRTHDAY and CHRISTMAS PRE-. SENTS, also TOYS, in great variety. Quilting, Serges, Reps, plain and printed Flaunels, Prints, Calicos, Merino, and all the flewest designs in Woollen GOUDS. Blackets, Huckaback and Turkish Towelling, Bath Blankets, &c., &c.

And, per last Overland Mail. Ladies' & Children's Hats and Bonnets Silk Velvet, Velveteen, and Cloth Jackats, in the latest styles. WELLINGTON STREET.

Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hongkong, December 8, 1808,

Insurances.

NOTICE.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NIO Further applications from Hongkong, or Macao, for Shares in the above Office will be received after the 15th inst. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong, December 2, 1868.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANC COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL 2,000,000 DOLLARS, in 2,000 Shares of 1,000 Dollars each,

Consulting Committee :-GEORGE F. HEARD, ESQ. WM. KAYE, ESQ. R. ROWETT, Esq. S. D. Sassoon, Esq. F. Buxey, Esq. General Managers, - Mesers JARDINE,

MATHESON & Co. Head Office, No. 39, Queen's Road.

HE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, which expires by effluxion of time in a few months, having proved a highly successful undertaking, it has been determined by a large number of its shareholders to form a permanent Company, under the same management and with increased Capital.

It is proposed to register the Company under the Limited Liability Ordinance, and the amount of the Capital having been fixed at Two Millions of Dollars, it is considered that Insurers will be amply secured thereby, while at the same time each shareholder will know the extent of his individual liability. The capital proposed to be called up amounts to a large sum, and provision will be made for the creation of an ample Reserve Fund, which will, it is expected, in a very short time accumulate to an amount practically to give the fullest security both to Insurers and Insured, irrespective of the unpaid Capital.

It is intended to anticipate the termina tion of the Old Company, by dissolving it from and after the 31st December next, and measures are being taken for that purpose. In anticipating a successful career for the New Company, it is only necessary to present to the public the results of the Old Company since its establishment in May 1866, as exhibited by the following figures:-

The total premiums collected from the 11th May 1866 to the present time, a period of only two years and five months, amount to......\$304,727.72 The losses which have been paid within the same period.

have amounted to......\$130,081.22 and include the large sum of \$85,270 lost by the Fire at Hongkong in Nov. 1867.

The amount now at the Credit of the Working Account, after paying all Expenses and Re-insurances to date, These figures fully warrant the most

sanguine expectations of success, and it is but reasonable to expect that, strengthened with larger Capital, the present undertaking cannot fail to prove at least as successful as the former one. The Old Company, when it entered the field, had to create a business for itself, but the New one, in taking over the outstanding risks and counections of the Old Company, will at once receive a very large amount of premium and enter on a profitable and organised business. Moreover, there is no doubt that the risk of Fire in Hongkong has been greatly diminished by the Building Regulations now in force, and by the establishment of a Fire Brigade.

The following are the main features of the New Company:-1. A first Call of \$100, to be paid upon each share on allotment, and a further Call of \$100 to be paid in Six Months; all further Calls to be determined upon at General Meetings of the shareholders. Interest at 12 per cent per annum to be in the first instance allowed on the paid up Capital, such Interest to be payable half-yearly, on 30th June, and 30th December. The profits after deducting the said Interest to be applied thus :- 20 per cent, pro rata, amongst such of the shareholders as shall have contributed or in-

fluenced business to the Company, and the remainder in forming a Reserve Fund of \$250,000. When such Reserve Fund shall have been accumulated, the payment of Interest to cease, and the profits to be applied thus:—20 per cent to be distributed as already mentioned amongst the shareholders who shall have contributed busi ness to the Company; 30 per cent. to the augmentation of the Reserve Fund unti it shall reach \$1,000,000, at which figure

it is to be permanently maintained; and the remaining 50 per cent. to be distri buted by way of dividend amongst the shareholders generally. No shareholder to hold more than 250

The Company to be managed by General Managers, with the assistance of a Consulting Committee. The Funds of the Company to be depos-

ited in Canks or in Government Securities approved of by the Committee. Over one half of the entire number of shares has already been taken up The following is the form of application for shares, which should be filled up and signed by the applicant and left with the

General Managers of the Company, Hongkong, 23rd November, 1868. To the General Managers of the

"Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited." Address of applicant and date.

I [or we] hereby request that you will allot to me [or us] shares in the above company, and I [or we] agree to accept such shares, or any less number you may allot to me, [or us] and to pay the First Call of \$100 per share on allotment, and the HE Ordinary Annual Meeting of the Second Call of \$100 per share on the Thirtieth day of June next, as well as any subsequent Calls that may be made, and to sign the Deed of Association whenever

required so to do. Your obedient servant He similar i gibe the midding indi-

The Deed of Association may be inspected at the Office of the General Managers, or at the Office of Mr HENRY C. CALDWELL, the Solicitor of the Company. Longkong, November 25, 1868,

Insurances.

"THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON. NOTICE. Supreme Court and Consular Gazette.

NOTICE is hereby given that in compliance with the requirements of Sec- Weekly Newspaper, or one-half interest in tion Number, Fifty of "The Companies | the same. Ordinance, 1865," an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be 20th instant. For particulars, apply at the held at the Offices of the Society, No. 12, Office. Praya, on Monday, the Twenty-first day of December next, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of confirming all or any Special Resolutions that may be passed at the Meeting called for the purpose on the Fifth day of December next:

Dated the Thirtieth day of Oct., A. D. 1868. By Order of the Board of Directors. ROBERT WATMORE. Secretary,

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given, that in compliance with the Companies' Ordinance, 1865, an Extraordinary Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the Company, situate at No. 39, Queen's Road Victoria, on Wednesday, the Sixteenth day of December next, at the hour of Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the pur pose of confirming all or any Special Resolutions that may be passed at the Meeting called for the purpose, on the First day of Dated the Twentieth day of Nov., 1868. | Order.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. wil

sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY

the 15th Dec., at Noon, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road Central, --

An Invoice of Oilman-stores, just land ed, comprising Pickles, Sauces, Mustard Vinegar, Salad Oil, Table Salt, Jellies, Tart Fruits, Bloaters, Shell Almonds, Pudding Raisins, etc. 10 cases 1 Sardines.

> 40 doz. Ilb. tins Huntley & Palmer's Biscuits assorted. 30 doz. 2lb. tins Huntley & Palmer's Biscuits assorted. 5 cases loaf Sugar.

20 cases best French Salad Oil, 10 cases Dr. Townsend's Sarsapa

10 cases Dr. Townsend's Stomach 30 cases Old Tom. 25 cases Pale Ale in quarts.

in pints. 120 Muskets 200 kegs Hall & Son's FF Gunpow der, each 20lb.

20 drums bright Varnish. 30 coils Manila Rope, assorted sizes. 40 bolts repairing Canvas, assorted

numbers. 25 gross Safety Matches. 30 boxes Candles. 90 doz. children's woollen Socks. 65 doz. colored silk Handkerchiefs.

120 doz. linen 75 pairs Blankets, sundry colors. Ready-made Clothing. 20 pieces white Flannel. 20 doz. Merino Undershirts.

25 doz. best brown linen Towels 25 doz. black silk Neckties. 5 doz. fancy Scarfs, newest style. 30 doz. best linen Collars, assorted

sizes of newest style. 5 doz. very superior Braces, 20 doz. white Muslin Ties.

Also, I Chronometer.

Barometer. l Sextant,

And a quantity of other GOODS. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, December 12, 1868, del5

> THE ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY,

HE above Company having arrived in Hongkong, intend giving a short series Concerts, the first of which will take

TUESDAY NEXT.

FROM THE BEST COMPOSERS.

For Particulars see Programmes.

Prices of Admission :

Places may be secured at Messra Lane,

Doors open at 8:30, Concert to commence

UNION DOCK COMPANY

OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

provisions of the articles of association.

Hongkong, December 12, 1868,

By Order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN INGLIS.

Acting Secretary.

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Crawford & Co.'s where a plan of the

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Hongkong, December 12, 1868.

at 9 P.M.

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On application to the undersigned, at the office of the Trustees, Pedder's Hill, Creditors will be furnished with warrants signed by the Trustees which will be payable on presentation at the office of the Hong-KONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORA-

By order of the Trustees, E. WHEELEY. Fongkong. November 28, 1868. in jal

CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGOGUE, No. 3, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST,

THOSE in Hongkong, who have become Ohristadelphians, by believing the things "concerning the Kingdom of Gon and the name of Jesus Christ" (Acts viii-12) and being thereafter, immersed in water in obedience to Apostolic Commandment (Acts ii-38.)

MEET EVERY SUNDAY. In the morning at 11 a.m. for the break-Shareholders in the above Company ing of bread, and for worship, and in the will be held at the Company's Office, in the evening at 7 o'clock, for the proclamation Hougkong Hotel building, on FRIDAY, of the truth.

the 18th day of December next, at noon, to N.B.—Christadelphian means "Brothren receive the report and accounts, and elect of CHRIST, and is adopted by those ack-Directors for the ensuing year in the place nowledging it, to distinguish them from of those who retire in conformity with the ordinary "Christians" who in the estimation of the former, are departed from the faith of CHRIST, and turned unto fables (2 Tim. 4-4.)

LOOKING FOR HIS APPEARING. Hongkong, November 20, 1868,

New Advertisements.

JUST RECEIVED. Ex Mail Steamer "Javan." Few cases of APPLES, in excellent condition.

650, Onken, Ningpo, Dec. 7, Cotton and Medicine, -Order. RAY & Co. Hongkong, December 10, 1868, Classen, Liverpool, June 16, General. GILMAN & Co.

FOR SALE AT EAST POINT. Complete assortment of Lowmoor and Beck, Whampon, December 10.—OLYPHANT Thornycroft PLATE, and Sheet IRON, & Co. BAR, ROD, Angle IRON and RIVETS. Double Shear, Spring and Blister STEEL, in round, square and flat bars. Babbits METAL, Muntz Yellow METAL, Copper PLATES, Rods and Pipes, Gas FITTINGS of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pressure GUAGES. FILES, PACKING and all kinds of Engineer's Supplies.

WANTED. ONNAGE to Amoy for 300 to 400 Tons of Dead Weight. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 21, 1868.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, September 1, 1868.

OCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable Pereira and Children, 2 Chinese (first class), rates, from English, French, Spanish, 55 Chinese (deck), and 16 Invalid Seamen, Italian, Portuguese or German into Chi- R.N. LL Orders for Goods Supplied to or nese, or from Chinese into English. Adwork done for the Hotel must be signed by the Secretary of the Company.

The "China Mail" Office, 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

GEORGE GLASSE,

(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS)

ENGLISH A ND FOREIGN CHEMIST

VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG. SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED & REFITTED. Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

JOHN THOMPSON & Co., MISPENSING & ANALYTICAL CHEMISTS

SODA WATER MANUFACTURERS Ships' Medicine Chests supplied "TEETH EXTRACTED." INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY. 23, Wellington Street,

Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 9, 1868.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE QUEEN'S ROAD,

an Extraordinary Meeting will be held to consider the advisability of altering No. 33 TESPECTFULLY solicit inspec-It tion of their New GOODS, in the following Departments.

SILKS. Eevning Dresses — Velvets. RIBBONS. - Fancy Dresses. ATOTICE is hereby given that the Trans-HOSIERY. fer BOOKS of this Company will be | Gloves - Trimmings. closed from the 5th to the 14th day of De-

HABERDASHERY — Prints. Manchester MANTLES. — Jackets. BONNETS. Hongkong, November 28, 1868. de14

- Ladies' Outfits

BABY LINEN. LL Persons having claims against the Gentlemen's Hats- Gloves. Estate of the late JOHN CLARK, deceased, Acting Assistant Surveyor General, HOSIERY. are requested to send in particulars of same | Cloths — Tweeds. on or before the 31st day of December Tailoring in all its Branches.

PERFUMERY, &c.

Household Lineus- Blankets. CARPETS. FURNISHING DRAPERY,

Etc., Etc. P.S.—The Dress-making, Millinery and Tailoring are under the Super-

intendence of experienced West End Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

EASTLACK & WINN,

Surgeon Dentists, HONGKONG & SHANGHAL

Jeneral & Commission Agents MAGASAKI, & QUERIES

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CHINA AND JAPAN. No. 11, Vol. 2, Is now ready,

Wax Insect,—Marco Polo's Legend con- | Sycee, cerning Bayan; Cremation in Japan, _ Mexicans, Missions in China; Comparative Tables Gold Leaf, 23.10 a 24.00 of geographical Names in Central Asia, Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 23.60 a 80 -The Chinese Method of Computation, English Sovereigns, ... -Ethnographical Sketches of the Hakka Australian Sovereigns, .. 4.64 Chinese,

QUERIES :- White Cocks on Coffins : The H. & W. Dock, Old, 4 p. o. dis.; New, 25. Skull of Buddha at Focobow; The H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 23 p. c. p. Chinese Dragon and Pearl; The Polo Temple near Whampoa; Meaning of Union Dock ... Lamaist Terms,--- (haracters found in an Idol at Pekin Practice of sending round Betelunt when in Trouble; Respect paid to Written Paper. REPLIES :- The Term' Pi Hia, -The Chinese words for Opium; Chinese Names of Roman Catholic Priests at Peking,-

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RY NOTICES, - BOOKS WANTED,

Faithful, for Ningno. Cruiser, for Bangkok. Courrier Des Mers, for Saigon.

Gazelle, for Saigon. Christine, for Taiwan Mexicana, for Saigon. Mikado, for Amoy. Castle, for Bangkok. . mar10 Nadesda, for Macao. Navarino, for Manila.

> PASSENGERS. ARRIVED .- Per Ottawa, Sir Richard and Lady MacDonnell, Messrs Rennie, Middleton, Dadabhoy, Mayne, Remedios, Murray, Jones, W. M. Norton, J. K. Davis, Mrs

> SHIPPING REPORTS. The North German barque Sirene, from Liverpool, reports fine weather; crossed the Equator on 2nd Aug., in long. 22 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 4th Sept., in lat. 42.50 S.; made St. Paul's Island on 22nd Sept., came to Timor Straits on 12th October, had fine weather and light southerly wind and calms; Gilolo passage on 17th November, thence light wind and calm till lat. 10 N. then light N.E. wind until arrival in Hongkong, on 12th Dec. 178 days out.

> The steamer Ottawa, from Shanghai. reports :- Experienced moderate monsoon. with thick foggy weather, for first day out; afterwards strong monsoon and fine weather until arrival. M. I. steamer Imperatrice, steamer Ert King, and British barque Abbotsford, on shore off the Kintoan Beacon.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WLLL CLOSE;-For YOKOHAMA,-Per "SULTAN," at 11 a.m. on Friday.

the 18th Instant. For MANILA. Per "S NTA ANA," on Tuesday, the 15th inst, at 3.30 p.m. For AMOY & MANILA, -

Per "FUNG SHUEY," to-morrow, the 13th instant, at 8 a.M. For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, & the U.S. of AMERICA generally,-

Per the P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steam-ship "JAPAN," at 2 o'clock P.M., OB Wednesday, the 16th instant. All correspondence intended to be forwarded by this opportunity must be superscribed per "JAPAN."

The postage must be prepaid as fol-Under & ounce, 8 cents. Above bounce and not exceeding I ounce, Above I ounce and not ex-

ceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ ounce, Above 14 ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces, For every ad'tional & ounce, Newspapers or Prices Current, 2 cents

Under the convention recently concluded, correspondence forwarded as above will be delivered free at the places of its destination. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

IT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or any of the Ports in China and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is: reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory.

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH. For Yokohama. - Per Sultan, at 11 a.m. on Friday, the 18th Instant. For Manila.—Per Santa Ana, on Tues day, the 15th inst. For Amoy and Manila .- Per Fung shuey,

QUOTATIONS.

to-morrow, the 13th instant, at 9 A.M.

Hongkong, 12th December, 1868. OPIUM, -Patna, New,... Benares, New. Malwa, ... 660 a 665 COTTON. - CALCUTTA, 16 a 194 Shanghae, ... Exchange.

On Calcutta, 3 days sight, Rs. 2224 a 223 ,, Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2221 a 223 Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 74 NOTES :- Executions in Hongkong; The Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., Discount,

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Do. do. New. Temperature Hongkong, 12th December, 1868. (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises,

Queen's Road.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, . . . 4 P.M., Dry, . . Self-registered Maximum, Min. over night, BAROMETER, 9 A.M.,

LATEST SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. Dec. 12, Albatros, N. German barque.

Dec. 12, Sirene, N. German barque, 234,

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IN H ST. JOHN'S CA o'clock -Rev. W. noon 4 o'clock.-Union Church. Morris Morning ing, 6:30 P.M. ST. STEPHEN'S vice in Chinese. Rev. Lo Sam Yuei —The same. ROMAN CATHOLI ton Street. Very Ap. In the mor in Portuguese;

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REPORTS.

biiIPPING.

IN HONGKONG N. German barque, Dec. 7, Cotton and noon 4 o'clock.—Rev. W. R. Beach, M.A. success of Buddhism. UNION CHURCH.—Minister, Rev. D. B. Morris. Morning Service, 11 A.M.; Even-

German barque, 234, June 16, General. ing, 6.30 P.M. St. Stephen's Mission Chapel - (Ser-. British ship, 585, vice in Chinese.) Morning 10 o'clock .ember 10, -OLYPHANT Rev. Lo Sam Yuen. Afternoon 3 o'clock. _The same.

Sunday.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL -- Wellington Street. Very Rev. T. Raimondi, P. P. Ap. In the morning, at 6, 1st Mass 2nd Mass; 8, High Mass with Sermon in Portuguese; 9.30, Last Mass with Sermon in Euglish, by the Rev. T. Borglignoli In the afternoon, at 4. Sermon in Chinese: at 4.30, Sermon in Portuguese : 5. Bene-

St. Francis Xavier's Chapel. - Spring Gardens. In the morning, at 7, Mass with Sermon in Chinese, by the Rev. F. Yaw. At the Roman Catholic Reformatory, West Point, Rev. B. Vigano. Service at 7.30 A.M. BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE.—Service in

the German language, by Pastor E. Klitzke, on every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, West Point

SAILOR'S HOME.—Evening Service, 6 P.M.-Rev. John Kyle. CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGOGUE. - Queen's Road (East). Service at 4 P.M. every

NOTICE, -It is particularly requested that | quote the following :all communications relating to the general I know the objections which are frebusiness of this paper be addressed to the Proprietor and in no case to individuals by name. Much delay and inconvenience in the transaction of business will thereby be

TO CORRESPONDENTS. Our columns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimute grounds, but one do not hold ourselves responsible for the

opinions of our correspondents. All communications addressed to this paper must be accompanied by the name of sender, not necessarily for publication, but as a quarantee of good faith.

THE CHINA MAIL

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, DEC. 12, 1868

THE BIBLE IN CHINA. THE clever but egotistic George Borrow was, we believe, the first writer who ever succeeded in interesting the general public, religious and irreligious, in work avowedly devoted to an account of Bible distribution. His "Bible in Spain," often scornfully rejected for perusal on the score of its title, was singularly fortunate in achieving a reputation which has placed it not merely on the shelves devoted to "books for boys" but | orientalist says :- "There we learn some- | paragraph in the North China Herald that in collections more pretentious than the the very egotism of the author constitutes its chief charm. We all like tales of personal adventure, and Borrow's work is in reality a very readable work of travel, enhanced in interest by its con-Christo-like linguistic ability which the author claimed to, and we believe to large extent did, really possess. In the "Travels in Tartary" of Fathers Huc and Gabet we find the work which most -- nearly resembles that of Borrow. The same graphic writing, veined by religious feeling, and overlaid with conscious or unconscious egotism is to be found in both, and each have achieved a somewhat similar reputation, the advantage, as was natural from the comparatively unknown country dealt with, resting with the Lazarist fathers. Our attention been directed to the subject from a mere heading which has caught our eye in the last number of the Chinese Recorder to It opens with an article from the pen of Mr Wylie, entitled "The Bible in China;" and the known ability of the author, coupled with the authority attaching to his remarks on such a subject, induced us to peruse it with much interest. We need scarcely remark, in a small community where the individual characteristics of leading foreign residents are so well known, that Mr Wylie is in atvle the very autithesis of the genial and gossipping Borrow. We get the o results, and often very important results, of Mr Wylie's studies and researches,

times feel inclined to regret this. But we cannot but sincerely admire the disinterested and unpretending spirit in which his labours are performed. Mr Wylie's article is indeed very different from a chatty chapter of personal adventure. He deals with a question which has caused much discussion amongst both Christians and unbelievers the "address," which rather oddly comes -Whether or not the Bible should be given to the Chinese; that is, the Bible in its entirety, translated with sufficient literal accuracy to convey the same idea to the ordinary Chinese reader that the them exceptions to the rule. He rapidly ing even Lao-tzse), but shews the want etc., chenper sentiment; how "California," given.

but we never hear anything in his

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES ON SUNDAYS [still left unsatisfied by each system as] St. John's Cathedral -- Morning, 11 this craving as an inborn instinct of o'clock.—Rev. W. R. Beach, M.A. After- humanity, Mr Wylic deduces from it the

> have rolled on, and Buddhism, if it had highway? not strengthened its stakes, has at least lengthened its cords.

But he admits its very partial success. And by a natural, but unconventional, course of argument, brings us to the object of his paper-a demonstration that the Christian Bible will fully meet the yet-existing want and that the popureligious beliefs is overstrained. We

mently thrown out, even by believers,that the Chineso are too apathetic to care about religion, or too self-conceited to receive doctrines imported from a foreign

To say nothing of the unphilosophical character of such objections, I maintain that they are by no means borne out by facts. The reception of Buddhism by the nation at large is a sufficient guarantee that the people are as capable of adopting new opinions as any other nation; and the zeal: needful for the maintenance of the system through so many centuries, were it nothing more, amply vindicates them from the charge of inherent apathy.

We do not judeed find the rampant fanaticism that characterizes the Hindu; nor is. the spirit of self-immolation and voluntary martyrdom at all prevalent. But it is not difficult to point to instances of religious zeal among the Chinese, perhaps unsurpassed by any people. It may suffice to quote the Buddhist priests, who in their fervour for the purity of the faith, left their native soil, traversing long and unknown tracks to distant countries, enduring privation, toil and danger, and accomplishing journeys which would be counted marvellous, even in these days of universal

None have attained a greater fame than the priest Huen-chwang, who left his native country in the early part of the 7th century, and after more than sixteen years ment in the cause of his religion, returned to China, to end his days in the further development of the same spirit. Speaking of Huen-chwang's travels, a celebrated great public importance, but there is one thing of the man himself, and of that si- has a local interest for Hongkong:—"Our lent enthusiasm which supported him in readers have no doubt seen in our advertislibraries of our juvenile days. Perhaps his ardnous work. There we see him brav- ing columns an offer, for sale, of the copying the dangers of the desert, scrambling | right and plant of the Recorder newspaper. along glaciers, crossing over torrents, and This step is owing, we believe, to the quietly submitting to the brutal violence intended departure from Shanghai of the of Indian Thugs. There we see him reject- present Editor of that paper, who goes to ing the tempting invitations of Khans, take charge of the leading journal in Hong-Kings, and Emperors, and quietly pursuing kong, at the end of this year. We shall amongst strangers, within the bloak walls | regret to lose, from Shanghai, a colleague of the cell of a Buddhist college, the study | with whom we have always worked in was an honest man. And strange, and stiff, and absord, and outlandish as his outward appearance may seem, there is | "in friendly rivalry," as the Herald has something in the face of that poor Chinese | done; but as for "leadership," in the monk, with his yellow skin and his small oblique eyes, that appeals to our sympathy | it has yet to be established -something in his life, and the work of his life, that places him by right among the heroes of Greece, the martyrs of Rome, the knights of the crusades, the explorers of the Arctic regions—something that makes

There is much of an interesting nature vet to be found in the article (which by the way was read at a recent mission conference), but the foregoing gives fair idea of its general purport. We shall be glad if our remarks induce readers to obtain and peruse for themselves the

CALIFORNIA LITERATURE from Messrs A. Roman & Co. of the first four numbers of the Overland Monthly. a journal which has been started by that enterprising firm to fill the place occupied by the Atlantic Monthly on the opposite coast of the Continent. Our readers are familiar with the enormous development attained by the press in California as attested by the Bulletin, Alta California, Times, do : and but little surprise will be felt at the production of a high class monthly periodical which, typographically perfect, competes favourably in

at the end of the first number, the con-

-honest and direct enough—is yet too rest many of the cultivated intellects, and along this narrow channel, will be always held to have been one conceived in a happy tion was to some extent supplied by the it? * * * Shall not the route be represent mon sense of all thinking people. The ob- blood for the throne of Philip V." is the self among the widest-minded of the Angliupward tendency it gave to the thoughts of ed as well as the termini? And where our vious want of Chinese people is a course of cry of 1868. Greek, Dane, or Englishman can clergy. If he will continue to think the devotes, teaching him to look beyond people travel, that is the highway of our training in Western Science. The real pi- may enter there, but not a Bourbon. and speak on the Bench of English Bishops the present state of existence, and thus thought. Will the trains be freighted only oneers of civilization in the East, the Je- "Henceforth there will be no Pyrenees," as he thought and spoke when he was adgratifying the longing for immortality inhe- with merchandize, and shall we exchange suit Fathers, long ago saw this, and they said a French monarch; "Henceforth the dressing himself to the first ranks of Engrent in the human breast. It appealed to nothing but goods? Will not our civiliza- "did what they could." If the China of Pyrenees, shall be impassable," says the lish physical science, Ireland may lay Engthe hopes and fears of its votaries, and its | tion gain by the subtle inflowing current of | the present day can be induced to accept | Spanish nation.plan of rewards and retributions was made | Eastern refinement, and shall we not, by | the instruction of an age far more enlight. |. While recording the vanity of these Roy- | such as has not often been incurred by our appreciable to the humblest adherents. In the same channel, throw into Eastern ex- ened than that which sent out Ricci and al wishes and the discomfiture of this deep | generation. Dr. Magee's analysis of the it, men felt they were not merely combin- clusiveness something of our own breadth | Valignan, the happiest results are to be ex- | diplomacy, we are bound also to acknow- | only sense in which dogmatic opinions can ing to carry into effect some abstract prin- and liberality? And if so, what could be pected. So reasoned the intelligent obser- ledge that our own alarms were unfounded. | properly be supposed to have eternal conciple, but that their every action carried more appropriate for the title of a literary | ver of China and the Chinese, when the Indeed, if political traditions had as much | sequences, -namely, as necessary intellecwith it some corresponding result. Ages magazine than to call it after this broad scheme of the Peking College was first pro- weight in these days as they had a quarter tual conditions of the highest type of apiri-

a mixed nature. Some are decidedly good, while others again are not at all beyond the average of magazine literature, though amusing enough to be readable. In each of the numbers before us is one or more articles bearing upon matters Chinese, from one of which we have lar idea of Chinese indifferentism to already quoted. We may have something to say shortly upon a sketch of ber, and we will give extracts from some of themore important articles. Meantime we content ourselves with a hearty recommendation of the new magazine to our readers, and with expressing a hope that the enterprise of the publishers will be worthily rewarded.

LOCAL.

Our readers will notice by an advertisement that the operatic company intend giving a performance on Tuesday next, when the Hongkong public will again have the opportunity of hearing some old favourites, reinforced if we mistake not, by additions to the Company.

We learn that an examination of Yeong Hong School at Canton will take place on Saturday, the 19th Instant, that visitors to that port are invited to attend it. This School founded by the efforts of Mr. Rubery of H. I. M. Customs, Canton, and at first designed as an experimental measure, has achieved a marked success, and those interested in the question of educating Chinese boys in Western language and studies will have the opportunity of drawing some comparison between the result of such efforts in China and elsewhere. Mr. D. B. Robertson, H. B. M Consul, will preside.

THE News from the North, by the mail steamer, does not comprise any items of Hongkong" is, of course, merely a courteous phrase. We shall be glad to welcome our Shanghai brother, and shall work with him sense meant by our Northern contemporary,

73rd regiment band theatricals. The Band Amateurs last evening gave another representation and more than vinus feel it a duty to inscribe his name on the | dicated the praises which have been hitherroll of the 'forgotten worthies, of the hu- to accorded to them. In "Kenilworth." man race.' He deserved to have lived the burlesque chosen for performance, the in better times, and we almost grudge so | parts of Queen Elizabeth, Walter Raleigh high and noble a character to a country not | and Wayland Smith—the latter meriting our own, and to a religion unworthy of special praise—were adminably performed. The others did their parts well, but scarcely came up to their companions. Amy Robsert wants animation, and ought to say-not repeat-her part. The Scenery and dresses were most creditable; but the scene, Kenilworth illuminated, scarcely needs even for burlesque purposes the aid of their Chinese lauterns to give the idea of illumination. The stage effects of rain, thunder and lightning were well produced and altogether the burlesque was a decided success.

"My Precious Betsy" was however even better than the preceding Every character was admirably filled, with one exception and that was wanting in "nature." People in real life do not speak as if reading from a book. As for Mr Whitham, his acting was really the best we have seen for some Mr. and Mrs. Wastail backed him most ably, and the play proceeded amidst screams of laughter from the entire house. We heartily congratulate the Band Amateurs on their success and trust that a full house to night will meet! with as much enjoyment as was afforded us last night They thoroughly deserve the public patron-

THE PEKING COLLEGE. will go on for any length of time paying themselves being taught! The present sys- | Spain and Portugal presperous togetem is evidently based on erroneous princi- ther, whether separate or united. If ples. The Peking College for the instruction of the Chinese in English literature, | should really fall on a Portuguese Prince. truction of the English in Chinese Litera-

THE SPANISH REVOLUTION. (From the Times.)

ture.—If indeed it is a College for the ins-

truction of anybody at all !—N. C. Herald.

Before the Spanish Revolution is forotten in some new convulsion, it may be well to extract the moral of its singular and instructive history. The events of Sentember represent only the concluding chapter of the tale. Its beginning dates just two and twenty years back, and perhaps many a young gentleman now proposing to enter Parliament has but a dim recollection of the famous "Spanish Marriage." in the autumn of 1846 that subject engrossed the attention and fired the passions of the whole political world. It almost led to war, and it did lead to revolutions as worlderful as ever war itself produced. When Isabella II. arrived at marriage-

able years the selection of a husband for so

eligible a bride became of great importance, since on the issue of that match would de- and one of them certainly good for the volve the Crown of Spain. Louis Philippe, then King of the French, resolved on little strength for his Administration, and nection with what we all-admit to be a literature of his faith.—His whole life be- have always experienced courtesy." The the young Queen to one of his own sons. The appointment of the eloquent Dean of securing this grand inheritance for his own | gain him much credit from impartial critics. Against this proposal the Cabinets of Europe, especially our own, vehemently pro- Peterborough; the other, which is more of which might lead to the union of the Crowns Administration), is that of Dr Mansel to sibly on one head. We were so far wiser | death of Dean Milman. than we had been in former generations. that we did not on this occasion make the is almost unimportant, as compared with Spanish Succession a cause of war, but the any opermanent influence that they may diplomatic contest raged with incredible have on the English theology of our genera-

now look at the results. Divine revelation, there is nothing prediction to render how the "West" and expenditure, and not the insufficiency of and allegiance of her subjects, and after a Newman left us, there have been few ser- Woman Hood is greater than witched. His Hope series of abortive issue as a nation to render the work of the witched. "Western" are already threadbare and your salary, as you have stated. His Hone series of abortive insurrections a real upris- mons published of any calibre in which you. It comprehends and embraces it. The suggest to Eastern readers only Chicago our directed an adjournment in order that ling of the whole nation drove her from her can recognize the essential life of a man of best woman makes the best wife. traces the influence on the Chinese mind and the Lakes; how "Occidental" and time might be given to receive any com- Kingdom. Thus the Spanish Throne be- character and genius, except a few volumes. A classic invalid upon being asked if he of the teachings of Confucius, Mih-teih, "Chrysopolis" are but cheap pedantry, munication from the creditors in China, to came actually vacated for the next in suc- of Mr. Maurice's and of the late Mr Robert- were ill, promptly replied, sic sum,

tensions of the claimant under the provisions | as it were, of religious zeal, -- these are the regards man's future state. Recognizing local to attract any but a small number of There is something peculiarly gratifying of the Spanish Marriages? There is the qualities by which the magnates of the readers. I might prove that was safety, at to the human mind in the idea of a College | Duc de Montpensier with the Spanish | English Church earn their high positions, least, in the negative goodness of our pre- or University. A vast Hall or series of Princess, his bride. They are a well-con- and fail to earn any moral influence with sent homely Anglo-Saxon title. But is Halls, where learned men consort and dif- ducted, respectable couple, with a numerous | their day. It is because we have seen in one there nothing more? Turn your eyes to fuse a knowledge of all sciences, all langua- family, and every qualification for the place or two of the leading Irish clergy qualities There was a spiritual dearth in the land, this map made but a few years ago." Here ges, all arts, is eminently fascinating to before them; but, instead of being preferred, of a higher and more noble order than these, and Buddhism offered the only pabulum of creeps the railroad, each day drawing the the imagination. The College at Peking | they have been rejected with especial aver- and qualities identified of old with Irish the class required, to say nothing of its West and East closer together. Do you was initiated with every prospect of success, sion. The Bourbon monopoly of privilege | theological schools, that we regard with quality. Enough was found in the subtle | think, O, owner of Oakland and San Fran- It began under auspices that bid fair to in- has been actually converted into a mono- sincere pleasure this recognition of Irish treatises of this system to occupy and interested like vast our ent soon to pour sure prosperity. The idea, we have always poly of proscription. "Only that no foreign genius where it really exists. Dean Magee, blood shall succeed to the throne of Philip in his address before the British Association a want in the religious condition of the na- kept within the bounds you have made for | moment. It commended itself to the com- V." was the cry of 1846. "None but foreign | at Norwich, has unquestionably placed him-

posed. It has existed for some time, and of a century ago, we might smile in asto- tual lie, just as certain states of the atmos-The selection of articles is naturally of what has it done? We really dare not nishment at the manner in which Spanish phere are necessary conditions of this venture to say, but we should like, in the marriages have worked to our imaginary highest type of bodily life, was both vast and voluminous reports, which eman- advantage. The dread of a Coburg was a just and masterly, and fruitful in ate from bureaux more or less closely con- powerful motive with poor Louis Philippe, consequences which the same mind ought nected with the Customs Service, to find and a Coburg is now the likliest successor not to shrink from drawing. Take "saving a cursory hint of the progress of a scheme | to the Spanish Crown. The objection to | truths" to be mere conditions sine qua non which seemed but a little while ago most | Portugal as the sworn ally of England was of the highest spiritual life,—conditions promising. Of course we are prepared to felt with peculiar strength in 1846, and which any true hunger and thirst of the be cautioned against impatience of results. Portugal may now, perhaps, annex the soul will necessarily force upon its notice,-We are strongly advised by all the sinol- kingdom of Spain. There still, indeed, and it will follow, we take it, that the subogues who have studied the Chinese mind, | survives a French journal which has learnt | the and abstruse ramifications of our elaboto prepare ourselves for unusual phenome- and forgotten so very little as actually to rately articled Anglican system must be the Taiping rebellion in the second num- na, for apparent contradictions, for peculi- reproduce this phantom in a late impres- largely simplified at once. Will the Bishop arities too numerous to be mentioned, and sion, and to remark that England would elect follow up for us the pregnant hints of too paradoxical to be understood when probably like nothing better than to see the his eloqueut and spiritual address to the they are mentioned. But we confess frank- | whole Peninsula "one Portugal." As a students of physical science? If he will, we ly and freely, that we disbelieve that any matter of fact, there is hardly one English shall soon have a theologian on the Bench Chinaman or combination of Chinamen, | man in a thousand at the present time who | whom religious laymen can follow, and at would so much as understand the insinua- whom religious ecclesiastics will yet not money for benefits they do not understand, | tion conveyed in these words, and the one | think it their bounden duty to rave and and indeed do not see! A college which is | who did understand it would laugh at the | scold. In that case we may find a bishop likely to command respect from the Chi- old-world notion. There was a time, no whose intellect is of a very high and mascunese, must be an Institution of an eminent- | doubt, when just as Brittany had been em | line order, and yet whose spirit is tholy practical character. It must have on its ployed by England against France, and roughly religious; who rationalizes what staff of teachers persons conversant with | Scotland by France against England, so | needs rationalistic treatment, and who does the language of China, and not biassed by Portugal was regarded by our Government | not rationalize away the very heart of faith any peculiar distortions of mind against as a serviceable instrument against Bourbo- and the very light of revelation. If we European modes of teaching. We cannot | nised Spain. But all those traditions now | obtain such a bishop from Mr Disraeli, we for a moment imagine that the Chinese belong to the past. In these days we re- shall feel inclined to forgive him a good Government will go on waiting for five or cognise our best interests in the true inter- round number of the yearly multiplying six years, while their Foreign teachers are | ests of other nations. We wish only to see | total of his sins, the choice of the Spaniards indeed has become the Peking College for the ins- | the election is more likely to merge Portugal in Spain than Spain in Portugal,

though the union of the two Peninsular Crowns is probably about the last result which the authors of the Spanish marriages ! that both husband and wife are addicted to would have anticipated. We must have told this story, however, to very little nurpose if it has not shown the folly of all such political intrigues. The actual narrative of events, when contrasted with the sketch of expectations, reads like the bitterest of satires. Nothing happened

according to calculation either on one side or the other. The least that can be said of the scheming which arranged the Spanish Marriages is that it was all thrown away: but it may be said of it with equal truth that it ended in the confusion of its authors and the discomfiture of all concerned.

THE NEW ECCLESIASTICAL APPOINTMENTS.

(Spectator, October 10.) Mr Disraeli has made two very clever ecclesiastical appointments, -good for him, country, -- appointments that will gain some Cork, Dr Magee, to the vacant see of tested. In those days the balance of power a party appointment (though Dr Magee, in was still a momentous consideration, and fighting so stoutly for the Irish Establishit appeared impossible to permit a match | ment, has, of course, done service to the of France and Spain in one family, or pos- | the Deanery of St. Paul's, vacant by the

The political bearing of the appointments

fury, and in the end King Louis Philippe | tion. We do not look forward to any great abated a little of his designs. He no longer | results, good or bad, from the elevation of demanded the Queen's hand for his son, Professor ansel. Of hard metaphysics but he determined that no other House; the Church has had enough and needs, no should carry off the prize denied to his own. | more, nor will it head much any further The ultimatum, as we well remember, was | dissertations, however able, on the "limits proclaimed in these terms by the Erench of religious thought." Perhaps the best press :- "Only that no foreign blood should | result of the promotion will be that Protake its place on the Throne of Philip fessor Mansel will abandon a chair for That was the condition absolutely re- | which he is little qualified, -the historical served. The Queen's husband must be a chair at Oxford, to some more deeply Bourbon, and none other than a Bourbon : learned and enthusiastic student, and thereon that the French nation was resolved, fore also more successful teacher. But we At last it was decided, not by European | cannot help looking for something better consent, but by the preponderance of French | from the new bishop. We have never influence, that King Louis Philippe's son, | ceased to hope that the English Bench the Duo de Montpensier, should be married, might be recruited from amongst men not to Queen Isabella, but to her younger | who may rank with the leaders of the sister, while the Queen herself was to be thought of their age, -who may show the provided for in another fashion. She was world that they can really master the affianced to her own cousin, a match from methods at least, and the principles, of our which it was well understood that no logiti- | newest sciences,-who may feel the duty mate issue could be expected; so that the and enjoy the delight of tracing the consuccession, in default of such issue, would | nection between those methods and princi devolve, after all, upon the children of the ples and those of their prima philosophia second marriage—that is, upon Louis Phi- theology. The method which an able Duke lippe's grandchildren. On these terms, and | has been able to introduce into one departwith these calculations, the two marriages ment of theology, it is not too much to hope were solumnised, and so ended the first | that the ablest of our Bishops, with the chapter of the story before us. We can I help of a few grains of meditative genius and spiritual insight, may mature and carry The next scene in the sequence of events | into other departments. And for such an shows us the King of the French, his Minis. I end as this, we confess that we see with ters, and his dynasty all ruined together; I pleasure the hearty recognition of the higher nor was it without some reason that the orders of minds among the Irish clergy, Spanish Marriages were represented as one The Bishop of Derry and the Dean of Cork | other." of the prime causes of the Revolution of have both evinced qualities which are but The truth is, the top c had been too rare among the English dignitaries of steer clear of," said an old bachelor sea John Aplin Webster -The bankrupt, who greedily seized upon by the Republican our Church, qualities of a kind which captain, "and that's courtship, cause on is now out of employment, was formerly party in France as telling against the Mo- originally obtained for the Irish theologians that ship there's always two mates, and no Great Britain. The Magazine, so far as acting British Consul in China, his present narchy and its institutions. These vigilant of the middle ages a high repute in Europe, captain." we can judge from the numbers before address being at 91, Ledbury road, Bays. and derling sgitators exposed the wicked qualities which spring from the union of a An elderly lady, with her daughter, us, bids fair to have great success. In water. He attributes his bankruptcy to heartlessness of the scheming, and turned meditative temperament and a keep critical looking at a marble statue of Prince Albert than address " which rather oddly comes his dismissal from the office held by him every point to advantage in the prosecution intellect. English theology has in its latest—the other day, startled the bystanders by under government and insufficiency of of their ends. By these and other means days,—as well in its rationalistic as its or exclaiming, "La, Sally, how white he was!" salary while employed. His debts are they at length succeeded. King and Mithodox phases,—tended too much to the Re-Bus.—Passenger: "Pull up, driver. ductor thus accounts for the title chosen.

1,2451., and there is no estate. Mr Almister together were hurled from place never tame hundrum of merely sensible and in- Look! six young ladies all hailing you,"—

Why is this magazine called "The Over- dridge appeared for the official assignee, to rise again, and the dynasty for which the telligent 'edification.' With the exception: Driver: "Ugh! I knows 'em. One of land Monthly ?" It would perhaps be The Bankrupt stated; in examination, that rights of a woman and the interests of a of one or two deeper and larger-minded em gets in, tother five kisses her,"—Free easier to say why it was not called by some his salary, as acting consul, was 9001. per nation had been deliberately sacrificed was theologians who have helped us to feel the Lance. English Bible does to the ordinary Eng- of the thousand other titles suggested. I year. He meant, by his salary being in- driven into hopeless exile. In the meant true vividness and intensity of the divine. We spend helf our lives in making tish reader. He commences by laying might explain how "Pacific Monthly" is sufficient, that he expended more are life and light. English theology has been mistakes, and waste the poor remainder in down that, assuming the necessity of a hackneyed, mild in suggestion, and at best Aldridge! Then the cause of your failure Queen, not without excuse, pursued a lamentably wanting in the fire and freedom reflecting how easily we might have avoided Divine revelation, there is nothing pecu- but a feeble echo of the Boston "Atlantic;" would be wilful, rash, and unjustifiable career which ultimately cost her the respect of the true Christian genius. Since Dr. them.

land under a deep intellectual obligation

ALLEGED MURDER BY A WIFE.

and of good education, was apprehended at

Leamington, on Monday night, on suspicion

A woman, very respectably connected.

of having murdered her husband, a watchmaker, who has been carrying on business in the town for many years. It appears drinking, and up to Thursday night were last week constantly intoxicated. On that night, both having returned home drunk, a quarrel is supposed to have occurred, and about twelve o'clock the neighbours heard one of them fall or pushed violently down the cellar steps leading from the kitchen. From that time the deceased was not again seen alive. His wife gave it out that he was lost, and that she had not seen or heard of him since Thursday night. To some parties she stated that he was gone for a soldier, and to others that "he was quiet enough." During Thursday she knocked her husband backwards in a public-house, and falling on a spittoon, he cut his head open. The landlord rebuked the wife and reminded her that just previously a publican had been killed in the town by falling backwards. Suspicion having been aroused on Monday evening Inspector Horswill, of the Leamington force, went to the house, but the woman for a long time refused to admit him, and only did so on his threatening to break open the door. On entering he asked her where her husband was, and she said she did not know. On turning a "bull's eye" down the cellar steps, he saw the deceased lying on his side, with his head downwards, in a pool of blood and his legs half-way up the steps. The back part of his head was completely smashed, a portion of the brain protruded, and death must have been instantaneous. It was also evident that he had been dead several days. The inspector charged the wife with being an accessory to the death, and cautioned her. She then said, "Well, I could not help it. I was sitting in this chair (a chair near the cellar door). He had been drinking, and was going out there into the back place. He fell down. I could not pull him I said, 'What are you falling down here for ?" At first, she stated that it had just occurred ; next, that it occurred two or three days ago; and ultimately that it was on the Thursday night. At the police station she stated that the deceased was reaching some food from the shelf when he fell. Some mouldy bread was found on the shelf. The woman had been living and sleeping in the house as if nothing had happened, and has been in an intoxicated condition from that time until apprehended. She appears cuite indifferent to her position, and assigns no reason for keeping her husband's death a secret, but the fact that during her husband's life they received an allowance from trustees of bs. per week, which would be stoneed on her husband's death, is alleged to be a reason for her reticence, supposing she was not accessory to his death. An inquest on the body resulted in a verdict to the effect "the deceased, met with his death by falling down the cellar steps, while in a state of intoxication, but there is no evidence before the jury to show the cause of his falling, and that Mrs. Court's conduct

Dr Johnson, once speaking of a quarrelsome fellow, said, "If he had two ideas in his head, they would fall out with each

in not giving information at once in highly

"THERE is one kind o' ship I always

Mencius and other philosophers (includ- and "Sunset," "Sundown," "Hesper," whom notice of the proceedings had been cossion even before the death of the Sove. son's: Dryness, caution, judicious modera- Why is a musical instrument like the reign; but what has happened to the pre- tion, -a vigorous but carefully bridled trut, open son? Because it's often sounded,

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MR. T. T. MEADOWS. (N. C. Daily News.)

that of any member of the British Consular | at this office. service : and whose ability and vigour were

ment after the close of the war, eurolled his attention to Chinese literature, but the surprise with which (according to M. De him in the class of students of the Chinese old interest was extinct, and he soon be- Sainte Beuve) he learned that Pascal had language. His expectations were realized, came wearied of the task. His last and denounced him for his relaxed morals. and he reached Hongkong early in 1843, to largest journey took place in the autumn of and in the remark which he is be told of the Nanking Treaty, and to gaze | 1867. He hoped to be able to penetrate to | to have made, that in Spain he upon the ratified copies of that renowned Tsi-tse-hae. He arrived at the city of narrowly escaped ecclesiastical ter at Canton in July 1843. His duties, | gave way, and he was compelled to return | a word, were the Jesuits' morals, what his wont with all work entrusted to him, re- His trade report for the present year will they were? What place did they occupy translating of which devolved upon him; attack of pneumonia, and he soon came to and the Gallicans. It is true that in de the ports during the past nine years, have dogs were disposed of, and he at one time | cally repudiated the sterner views of Chrisprobably had more laborious tasks. Mr.

1849, and after that date his subordinate's

Time still was found for the issuing, in seemed good, his life since December last | ment? | Look, again, at the great subject 1847. of the "Desultory notes" which, was that of a hermit. During ten months, of the Jesuit missions. What are the rights though blemished by egotism, contain in- he certainly did not appear more than three of the history of their attempt to conver formation that twenty years ago was un- times outside the wall of the Consulate. | China by converting the Emperor, of the doubtedly useful, and that still deserves Mr Meadows' official career was not suc- proscription and prosecution of Christianit the credit of being well arranged and intel- cessful. His management of the Shaghai in Chine, and of the quarrel between the ligible. Not many copies were printed, and | Consulate was not satisfactory; while his | Jesuits and the Dominicans about the law the book is now somewhat scarce. Mr. opposition to the policy of Sir Frederick, at | fulness of the Chinese forms of worship, Meadows' life at Canton was of a most re- that time Mr Bruce, attracted to him un- which so much is to be read in the charmtired character. He craved for knowledge, favourable notice from the Foreign office. ing narrative of Father Navarette, still one and by his mental exertion in the pleasant | Those who care to turn over old blue books | of the best of all accounts of China? Wha old factories, certainly merited and justifi- | will find in the correspondence for 1860, a | is to be said, again, of the establishment ed the reputation which he for a short | despatch addressed by him to Lord Russell | in Paraguay | Are we to believe in Volt period acquired. In addition to a most | -in which he argues against the course ad- | aire, or in De Maistre, or in some and what persevering devotion to the Chinese tongue, | vocated by the latter, with extreme acridi- | intermediate creed? What, again, is the In addition to the study of Manchu, and to ty. Recognising, and with justice, his own true account of the political activity of the the gathering of an acquaintance, more or superiority to many of his colleagues, he order, especially in France and England, less thorough, with modern metaphysical and | considered that, during Lord Elgin's first | from the time of the Reformation down to ethical systems; he traversed with rare mission, too little attention had been paid the year 1830, when the insurgents of Paris onickness of comprsehension and permato his opinous: but the circumstance of were as keen against the Jesuits as the inhence of recollection; the entire range of contrary views being entertained and given surgents of Madrid are at the present time? contemporary literature. His recreations effect to, simply caused him to adhere to What has been the true character of the when I was married; but I might as well were few. He engaged in shooting excursions his own more determinedly and to express influence of the Jesuits on education, on have done so, for I had to do it." in the adjacent districts, and was sometimes | them with greater emphasis. A man of con- literature, on science? A full answer to tempted to visit Hongkong or Macao. siderable talent and, in earlier years of pro- these rather comprehensive questions would Those were not the days of luxurious digious industry, of very great self-reliance, not only give us an insight into some of the steamers performing the eighty miles in se- capable of much forethought, yet liable to most interesting passages of modern hisven or eight hours. The journey in a "fast | a baneful excitement in emergencies. This tory, but would throw great light upon hoat" occupied from two to three days; probably, taking his entire career in China, several of the fundamental problems of said Mr E. and there was the possibility of attack by will be accepted as a fair verdict on a man ethics, politics, and religion. the murderous pirates who haunted both who has unquestionably made his mark in These wide admissions of ignorance will at the estuary and the river above the Bogue. | the history of British Consuls in China. He was, on one occasion, thus assailed in an upper reach, and only escaped death by jumping out of the cabin window and swimming on shore. In 1852, Mr. Bowting pro-

FROM SPAIN. (Pall Mall Gazette, Oct. 11.)

ceeded to Hongkong as acting chief superintendent. He offered the position of Chinese Secretary to Mr. Meadows, let the appointment was declined. Mr. Meadows preferred the interpretership at Shanghai. in 1853 he proceeded with Sir G. Bonham in the "Hermes" to Nanking, and accounts of the mission from his pen appeared for years past has been to reverse the policy principles which can be entertained by any the North-China Herald. Then com- of Mendizabal, and by one method or other one. We his devoted servants, come before mericed that sanguine faith in the regenera- to reintroduce the monastic orders and to vou, the world at large, neither to argue nor ting bowers of the Taipings, which became confer upon the Church every part of the to perform austerities, but to prove by our the most prominent dogma of his political | power of which his measures were intended | conduct and our teaching in practical affairs creed. In the following year, he visited to deprive it. It is therefore natural, and, the supreme truth and glory of our princithe Liuchiu islands, again as a member of | indeed, inevitable, that the first public act | ples. We will beat the world with its own Sir G. Bonham's suite; on this occasion, as of those by whom the Queen has been weapons and at its own game. We will he himself tells us, the ease with which be overthrown should be the emphatic affirma- solve all the great problems of morality in of ours, who found out that he was an old Sheeps' Heart, discussed in the Pekingese colloquial, won tion of the policy which she had assailed, such a way as to show you that true Christi- woman, and therefore possibly his own Pigs' Heart. for him surprise and admiration. In the There is almost equal danger of exaggerat- an ethics are, of all ethics, at once the wis- grandmother. - Melbourne Punch. commencement of 1855, if we remember ing and of undervaluing the importance of est, the most systematic, and in the most correctly, he went on leave to Europe, and such measures. On the one hand, it is per- profound sympathy with every part of hu- of another, who covered his partial baldthere busied himself with the preparation feetly clear that the reactionary forces of man nature. As a proof of this, we will be ness with a wig, adding, as a clincher, and production in 1856, of the work, to all sorts in Spain must be prodigiously the spiritual guides of gentlemen, men of "You see how bald I am, and I don't wear which, in his opinion, the successful estab- strong. If this had not been the case, it honour, fashionable women, great kings, a wig."-"True," was the retort, "but an lishment of the system of competitive would have been impossible for the Queen statesmen, and soldiers, and we will show empty barn requires no thatch. examination was mainly due. On this to hold her power so long as she did, and you that under our guidance they will be point he was infatuated. The first pro- to proceed so far on the path which she more brilliant, wiser, more successful than posals on the question were, he avowed, chose; but, on the other hand, there is a the world could ever have made them. We made by him in the "Desultory Notes;" disposition, especially amongst highly will convert heathen nations, and show you and it was his arguments, when expanded educated observers, to underrate the im- how great empires like that of China may in the mightier second effort, which, he portance of legislation, to refer too much be transfigured into Christian kingdoms, thought, contributed to vanquish all oppo- to the slow operation of general principles, and shine with a divine glory after the sition. The estimate of the influence he and to believe that, because it is almost as change, and how deserts full of savages, like had exercised was of course exaggerated, much a matter of course to signalize a Paraguay, may be turned by our care into His ideas were novel neither in conception Liberal revolution by a demonstration Christian Arcadias. We will teach you what nor in exposition. His chief merits were against the Jesuits as to celebrate it by is meant by Christian education. Christial sent to the Pope, as a mark of filial devot. Hen Eggs, great fullitiess and minuteness of treatment; manifestations of popular enthusiasm, an literature, Christ an government. Our edness, a magnificent Roman missal, on Duck Eggs, to the last he considered himself the apostle acts of the one kind count for as little society, in a word, shall be Christianity which the best workmen of Vienna had been Salt Eggs a new scheme of government; and his in the long run as displays of the other teaching by example, and proving its truth | engaged for several years past. The cover | Dried Ducks intention was when proceeding home across kind. A mean must be struck between by its superlative utility. the Northern American continent, to de- these two views, but experience and the This was the dream, but what has been gold. liver lectures in the Canadas, for the pur- course of events alone can show what that the interpretation? The society has conbose of urging the advisability of Imperial mean is. A century hence the course of trived to make the derivative of Jesus as and Provincial services being framed ac- events now passing before our eyes, their much a term of reproach all over Europe cording to the principles set forth in the relative importance, and their connection as the derivative of Christ is a term aldsing half of his preface. The gem of with each other as cause and effect, will be praise. Most people would be as much afthe book is the eighteenth chapter, dealing very much clearer than they can possibly fronted at being called Jesuits as at being with the philosophy, morality, and polity be at present to the strongest and best-in- refused the title of Christians. Their morality As for the Uninese. Since it appeared, no one formed judgment. As for the unlucky ral theories have been loaded with perhaps Halfwritten or can write ou Chinese ethics Jesuits, we do not profess to be able to unmerited obloquy by such men as Pascal without being, consciously or not, vastly form any judgment at all as to the effect and Bossuet. Their practical influence as indebted to it. The "Chinese and their which this expulsion will have upon them. confessors and directors has given even febellions" was printed mainly at the They must by this time feel about expulsion more offence and scandal than the theories Author's cost, and numerous copies yet and abolition much as sels do about aline on which it was based. In China they -There are five general officers, 36 colonels Live Fiel, burden the shelves of Cornhill. The author | ning. There is hardly a country in Europe | were accused by the members of their own sent copies of the published book to Car- in which they are not or have not been Church of having explained away Christiani. captains (naval and military). Four admi. Oysters, Tyle and to Mill, and passed an evening more or less expelled and proscribed, to ty into paganism, and the creed which they with one, and received a complimentary say nothing of the abolition of the order at one time introduced into the Emperor's note from the other. The second honour itself by Clement XIV. in 1778; and, Palace came to be prescribed and persecutionary church residing at Portmahomack of the Prawns. has of late been bestowed on various mem- though probably few of our readers are ted throughout the Chinese empire. Their name of Day, by trade a cooper. One Sab Lobsters. bers of the Reform League; but Mr Messaware of the fact, they are still subject to a establ shments in Paraguay were broken up, bath norning he heard a number of boys Frogs, dows regarded as the most valuable certifi- variety of penalties and disabilities in our upon unjust pretences, if you please, but who were playing in front of his house, and cathe of his literary powers, the few lines own country. Certainly few bodies have still by Catholic sovereigns. Their schools he went out to check their Sabbath profa- Small Turtles, that been vouchsafed to him by the laken so much killing, none in modern had the honour, for one thing, of educating nation. Assuming a grave countenance, he Large Turtles, son of the historian of India, one who, limes has incurred such intense obliquy, Voltaire In several Catholic countries the said to them, "Boys, do you remember Large Fresh Fish, despite undignified political squabbles, is and hardly any could apply to itself with order was suppressed and its property con- what day this is?" "Yes, sir," replied one Small the most illustrious of living English meta- so much justice the hackneyed lines of fiscated. In some Protestant countries the of them, "it is Deason Day, the cooper." physicians. In 1857 Mr Meadows returned Horace about the oak shorn by hard axes. members were hing, and it must be owned, for China, and during that and the following They are a sort of Christian Jews, a minority in many cases, not without reason. No flight of fancy and a flight of stars. Be- Salt Fish,

document. He became Consular Interpre- | Kirin, but shortly afterwards his health | for being too much of a rigourist? What whilst holding that post, he himself, as was | without fully accomplishing his purpose. | they mean, and how came they to be wha garded as most onerous and difficult. In probably be a careful account of this final in the great controversy of which they his "Desultory notes" he furnishes particu- effort. He arrived in Ying-tsze in Decem- formed a part? Take, again, the lars as to the despatches and letters, the ber of last year, suffering from a painful struggle of the Jesuits with the Jansenist quantity would seem to have been then his the resolution of applying for one or two feating the Jasenists, and affixing to their chief test of efficiency, but interpreters at | years' leave of absence. His horses and | doctrines the stigms of heresy, they practi Bowring arrived as Consul at Canton in ling the present month.

THE EXPULSION OF THE JESUIT

excursion accompanied by a foreign ser- which would naturally lead him to con- creed, they tell us, is the key; but whenvant, came in contact with one of those tribute as much as even a man of excep- ever they introduce the key into the look it | Neil was carpenter and precentor in Edin-Turbot, The last steamer from Newchwang brings craft, and his vivid account of the manner | tional genius would ever hope to contribute | not merely fails to open it, but sooner or burgh, and a very droll character in his way. Gurnet. the intelligence of the death of a man, in which he defeated and drove into flight towards the solution of several of the great later gets so hopelessly entangled with the Being questioned one day by a lady at whose reputation as a whole, twelve or thir- his adversary, may be remembered by a test of the problems which eternally in wards that the master of the house wrenches whose house he was employed as to the reateen years ago, stood perhaps, higher than few readers of the older journal published terest our race, we should recommend him it out with emphasis, and regards the man son why people of his profession were so to write a history of the Jesuits. M. De who holds it as a burglar: a theory in exorbitant in their charges for coffins, he Fresh Water Fish. In April 1861 he entered upon the dis- Sainte Beuve might write such a history if which he continually supposes himself to looked very mysterious, and agreed to give Snipe Fish. certainly conspicuous amid the possession of charge of his duties at Newchwang. To- he could but persuade himself to handle be confirmed by finding that the key has the necessary information in return for a Salmon, Pickled, diversified antecedents; for whom the first wards the close of the following year he his topics rather more firmly, and less ex- been filed down to make it fit the lock to glass of whisky. The stipulation being Treaty had found fairly lucrative and hon- endeavoured to reach the forests where clusively with the object of entering into which it professes to correspond—that it is agreed to, Tam said, "Well ma'am, it's just ourable posts. As characterised by great trappers procuge the beautiful tiger skins | the feelings of the people about whom he in fact, a skeleton key, and not an honest because they are ne'er brought back to be Potatoes, Magac general industry, and as gifted with a pro- which, to many, are the most familiar of is writing. A book which would explain piece of iron. Whoever wishes to apprefound knowledge of the language of the the products of Manchuria. He altoged to the world authentically what the Jesuits ciate this metaphor, and at the same time people among which his lot was cast, the ther failed in the attempt. In 1863, accom- have been and are, why they have done so to make himself acquainted with a very in- from the text, "Remember Lot's wife, name of Mr Meadows was ever coupled with panied by a party of armed servants, he much and no more, what is the secret of teresting set of books, should go through a and made a failure. Afterwards, remarkthat of the gentleman who is usually de- tried, in defiance of the provincial authori- their strength, and what is the source of course of De Maistre. Though no Jesuit ing to Dr. Bond that he did not know the signated as the coming occupant of the Peties, to enter the Corea. He was unsucted that fatal weakness which invariably foils himself, he had imbided in his education reason of his failure, the venerable Doctor king Legation; and Mr Wade himself, in cessful, but the act, and some attendant their efforts after a time, and brings con- much of the spirit of the order, and his replied that he "had better let other peothe dedication of his first important work, circumstances, were reported by Sir F. Insion on their most promising schemes, talents entitled him, without presumption. ple's wives alone." gracefully acknowledged, in regard to these- Bruce to Lord Russell and extracted from | would be of the highest possible value. | to try to parry and return some at least of cond point, a superiority in the existence of the latter a severe reprimand. In 1864 Such a book would, amongst other things, the blows struck at his old masters by Paswhich many were willing to believe, and whilst journeying to Peking, at the Shan- tell us the real truth on the following cal and Voltaire. De Maistre is a very which Mr. Meadows himself had already hat kuan, the town on the western shore of subjects, of which most people know a lit- favorable specimen of the influence which the Liao-tung gulf, at which the great wall | tle, though hardly any one has what can be | the Jesuits exerted, and of the tone of their Mr. Meadows was born in 1819. His fa- ceases, a revolver attached to his belt was called accurate knowledge about them :- teaching. Few people set in a clearer light mily belonged to Northumberland; when accidentally discharged, and wounded him What is the real truth about the early its good side. None, probably, displays nineteen years old, he proceeded to Munich severely in the thigh. A messenger was at Jesuit casuists? What was the nature of more clearly to the eyes of the vast majoriwhere he passed three years in miscellane once dispatched to Tientsin, but five or six | the moral problems which they handled, | ty of this generation the hopeless impossious studies, his first intention being we days elapsed ere the skill of the late Dr. and of the theories upon which their casuis- bility of trying to pretend to believe their have heard, to enter the ranks of civil en- | Ainslie could be availed of. The fracture | try rested? Can Mariana rightly claim the | doctrines in the present day. Those who gineers. In November 1841, however,- was admirably reset, and not the slightest | credit of having been one of the foreumers | have not apposite enough for De Maistre we learn from the minute personal details limping could be detected by a stranger. of Locke, and the ally, as he was the con- himself will find some interesting and valuwhich he embalmed in his writings,—the | On his return. Mr Mcadows, for a short | temporary, of Hooker in the principles of | able articles about him, by Mr John Morannouncement of Professor Neuumann's lec- time, influenced by advice which had been politics? Was Escobar really the apologist ley, in the last and some earlier numbers tures, and the hope of attaining an appoint addressed to him in the capital, renewed of vice? or was he justified in the extreme of the Fortnightly Review. expected to be able to quit the north dur- tianity, and infected the whole Roman Catholic body with a feeble cast of theology

Circumstances compelled him to alter his | which runs parallel to the extreme developofficial duties were supplemented by the aid | plans, and it was arranged that his department in that Church in modern times that the latter furnished to the chief tran- | ture should be postponed until June of | what has been called Mariclatry in religion alator of Chinese poetry in the Repository. next year. Though his general health and of Ultramontanism in Church govern

> all events enable our readers to attach its ing a charity sermon, had her pocket picked true importance to a statement of our general impression as to the character and con- the discovery, she said, "The parson could affords one of the most striking of all the practical proofs of the falsehood of their The expulsion of the Jesuits from Spain | system. Speaking generally, their announce- | Marquis de Créqui, who was famous for and the confiscation of the property of the ment to the world is somewhat as follows:-- his spitefulness. had poisoned himself. religious orders are acts which no one could | Our creed is absolute truth, the highest | Madame de Marchais observed, "It is have failed to expect who had followed the known to men. The head of the Church probable that he bit his own tongue. course of events in that country. The is the moral sovereign of the human race, principal object of the policy of the Queen | reigning in virtue of the highest and truest

year, he remained in charge of the Vice- continually perseouted and hated, yet sus-Consulate of Ningpo. In 1859 he became taining and recruiting themselves with in so many walks of life, or were ever ex- Between the browse of cattle and the browse

CAPTAIN SLADEN.

We learn from the Rangoon Times of the 21st ultimo that Captain Sladen has returned to Mandalay and assumed the post of Resident. The successful issue of Captain Sladen's expediton is stated to have that the English captain had done what none the royal officials had ever been able to accomplish. The Burmese traders look upon Captain Sladen as being under the special protection of the good nats, for they knew well all the conflicting interests and intringues which were arrayed against him, and they cannot sufficiently express their wonder that he has overcome them. It is stated that his health requires change.

The Revd. Mr. Marks, a Rangoon Misof his pupils. The king had received him very honourably at a public audience, and at once had promised to build at the royal expense a Christian Church and an S. P. School for 1000 Buruese boys. He present ed nine of his own sons to the Missionary for education in English learning. The Kin refused all other contributions towards the erection of Church or School. He entertaind Mr. Marks and his pupils to a sumptuous breakfast in the palace and presented two silk nutsoes to each of the boys.

The markets at Mandalay were showing signs of improvement. A report says :-"Since the resumption of business after the Lent holidays, we have had more doing. and our quotations will show an improvement in values.'

MISCELLANEOUS

A QUAKERESS said recently to a friend in reference to the Quaker formula of marriage, "It is true I did not promise to obey

A THELOGICAL student, supposed to be deficient in judgment, in the course of class examination, was asked by a professor Pray, Mr E., how would you discover fool?" "By the questions he would ask,

A LADY, who refused to give after hear as she was leaving the church. On making duct of the Jesuits. It is that their history not find the way to my pocket, but the Mutton Leg, -

It having been mentioned that the

Goon breeding is a guard upon the tongue; the misfortune is, that we put it on and off with our fine clothes and visiting faces, and do not wear it where it is most Nothing Extraordinary.—The papers

speak of a man who has discovered that h is his own grandfather. That is nothing to what happened to a certain venerable friend

A BALD man made merry at the expense Two Western girls, driving in a buggy on

plank road, were stopped and asked for Turkey "How much is it?" "For a man and a horse," replied the gate-keeper, "the charge is 25 cents." "Well, then, get out of the way, for we are two gals and a mare. Get up. Jenny?" And away they went. eaving the man in mute astonishment.

THE Emperor Francis Joseph has just is ornamented with precious stones set in | Snipe.

An American has invented an advertizng bell to be attached to bulletin boards, walls, fences, and so forth, to attract attention to the advertisements pasted thereon. It is operated by a coiled spring with clockwork gearing, and when wound up and set | Hill Snipe, running it will sound at intervals of a few | Sparrows, seconds continuously for a week if desired. | Rice Birds. An analysis of the list of candidates at | Wild Pigeons,

present before the country for seats in the new Parliament shows the following results: and lieutenant-colonels, 88 majors, and 43 | Eels, rals also come forward. DEACON DAY .- There was a deacon of a | Crabs.

THE DIFFERENCE WANTED .- Between a Couger Eels Small, pelled from them with so much ignomity.

All this appears to us to indicate that the and the lash of a Whip. Between the best outrages by piratical boats in the Yang-tze below Chinkeang were of constant occur- writer in want of a subject on which he fault of Jesuitism lies in its fundamental of a policeman and the beat of a rum.— Rock Fish,

WHY COFFINS ARE HIGH-PRICED .- Tam Skate Dr. Durbin once attempted to preach

The Fremdenblatt of Vienna relates an atrocious act of cruelty at Talkusch, in

Moldavia. A diligence having been robbed of 7,000 ducats, about a dozen persons were arrested on suspicion and put to the torture to make them confess. One man, after being beaten, had splinters driven under his nails; his wife was suspended by the feet, and eggs taken from boiling water were applied to her armpits and the most sensitive parts of the body. Other men and women Lettuce. were dragged along the streets tied to horses' tails and sprinkled with boiling oil... Several of the victims are not expected to NEW ZEALAND AS A SANATORIUM FOR

TROOPS.—In the House of Representatives, on July 22, Ms. T. Macarthur moved-That a memorial be forwarded to her Most Gracious Majesty praying that her Green Peas, in the Shell Majesty will be pleased to make New Zea- Tomatoes, land the saniatoium of the invalided troops | Asparagus. of the British army." The hon. member | Chilies, Dried, quoted the opinion of Mr. Thompson, in his book on New Zealand, also the opinions Garlie, of Drs. Mouat, Mackinnon, and other medical authorities upon the salubrity of the climate of New Zealand. The Hon. Mr. Stafford warned the lion, gentleman Pumpkins. that very little was to be hoped from his motion if it were carried. Several of the Green Onions. other colonies had moved in a similar direction, and the Colonial Office had received reports from all quarters on the subject sionary, had rrrived in Mandalay with five | The salubrity of the climate of New Zealand was perfectly well known to the Egg Plant, government. The motion was, however. agreed to. Whether any practical result will follow remains to be seen .- New Zealand Examiner.

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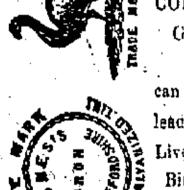
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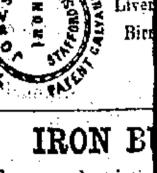
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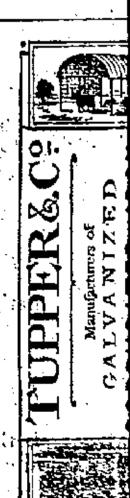


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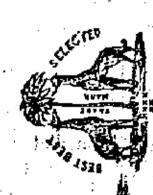
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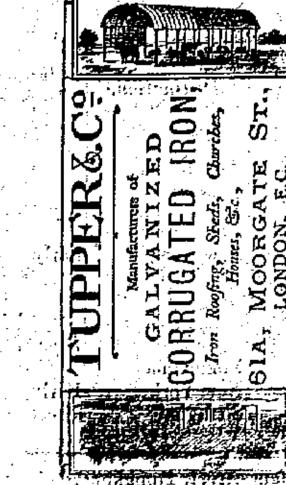
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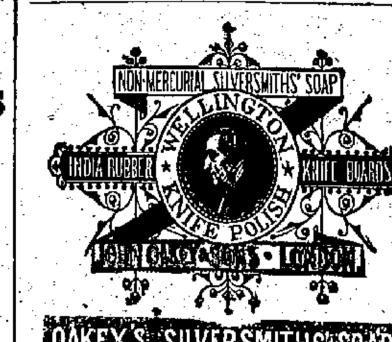
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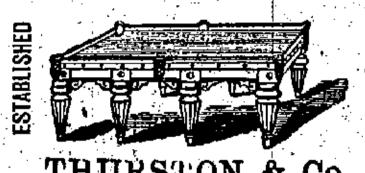
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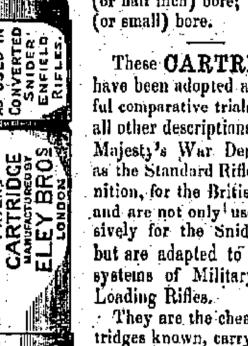
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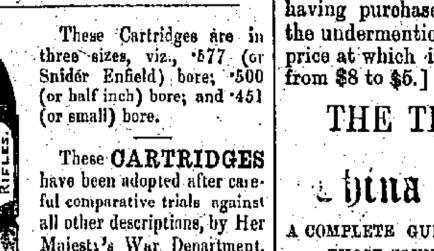
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HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN.

EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.)
We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better

(From the "Stratts Times," July 27, 1868.)

Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the know-ladge of our readers. We allude to Notes ledge of our readers. We allude to Notes and Queries on hina and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and inseful mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese.

It says a good deal for the extent and stability of the footing of Europeans in China, that such a publication as this should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour.

The publication is altogether a very in-

teresting one, and wishing it every success, we commend it to the attention and support of our readers. (From the "London Examiner," May

This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. It has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds, considerably enhance its value. * * *

We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns.

A complete and intelligible plan of the Imperial City and neighbourhood, gives us an accurate notion of the relative position of

its divisions, streets, and places.

In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found as uccinct history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, and limits, which will be found particularly interesting as throwing a considerable light on a part of the world so long entirely, and still comparatively, unknown to Europeans.

The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yokohama, and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as those of the Chinese ports. A copious in- Drake dex and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to travellers and others, is also included in the volume. The entire work affords a vast Grasshopper amount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the Eastern seas.

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